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Maj.-General LaFleche, Bertrand and Fournier Given Posts in Cabinet

Become Ministers of National War Services, of Fisheries and of Public Works; Michaud To Be Minister of Transport; Vien Will Fill Vacancy in Senate

Murphy Gets Appointment

OTTAWA, Oct. 6 (CP).—Prime Minister Mackenzie King tonight announced a large-scale Cabinet reorganization, bringing three Quebec representatives into the Government and sending War Services Minister Thorson to the presidency of the Exchequer Court of Canada.

Mr. King announced that the following would be sworn into the Cabinet tomorrow noon:

1. Maj.-Gen. L. R. LaFleche, associate deputy minister of national war services, as Minister of National War Services.
2. Ernest Bertrand, Liberal member of Parliament for Montreal Laurier, as Minister of Fisheries.
3. Alphonse Fournier, Liberal member for Hull, as Minister of Public Works.

At the same time Mr. King announced that Fisheries Minister Michaud has resigned that portfolio to become Minister of Transport.

Another long-standing public vacancy, that was created nearly a year ago by the death of J. B. Hunter, deputy minister of Public Works, was filled by the appointment of Emmett Murphy, engineer in the Government service since 1907 and lately director of construction in the Department of Munitions and Supply.

NEW SENATOR
One of the fifteen Senate vacancies was filled by appointment of Thomas Vien, Liberal member for Montreal-Outremont and deputy speaker of the House of Commons.

This left a House of Commons vacancy for which a by-election was immediately fixed for November 30, the date on which two other by-elections, Winnipeg North Centre and Charlevoix-Saguenay have been called.

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TIM BUCK AND OTHERS FREED

Premier Hepburn Wires Protest Over "Conditions" Of Release

TORONTO, Oct. 6 (CP).—Premier Hepburn sent a telegram to Justice Minister St. Laurent tonight, saying: "I, in common with the people of this province, object to any conditions attached to the release of Tim Buck and sixteen other Communists who had been held in Toronto jail since they surrendered to police September 25."

The Justice Minister announced the "conditional release" in a telegram he sent Mr. Hepburn this morning in answer to previous urgings of the Premier that the men be freed and the ban on the Communist Party lifted.

Tonight, Mr. Hepburn said any conditions attached to the release gives the men "the status of second-class citizens."

J. L. Cohen, the Communist lawyer, earlier had said the same conditions applied to the release of the seventeen held here as well.

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Two Airmen Killed Here

Believed victims of a collision in mid-air, two R.C.A.F. pilots were killed near William Head yesterday morning. Names of the men, members of the personnel of the station at Patricia Bay, are being withheld pending notification of next of kin.

As far as could be determined, there were no eyewitnesses to the accident and the causes were said to be obscure. Two aircraft were involved.

ANOTHER FLYER KILLED

CALGARY, Oct. 6 (CP).—A second fatal accident within twelve hours involving an aircraft from No. 37 S.F.T.S. R.A.F. took the life of an airman today. He was the fifth flyer to lose his life in the Calgary district with the past twenty-four hours. No details of the accident, which happened this afternoon, were available. The airman was from the United Kingdom.

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Valiant Russia Fighting On and On



This Photograph Was Taken on the Russian Front During the Recent Summer Campaign. Here Red Army Men Can Be Seen Clearing a Village Occupied by the Germans, in a Successful Counter-Offensive.

Japanese Flee Before New Australian Push

Secret Planes Swoop Low for Daylight Raids

Britain's New Mosquito Bombers Attack Targets in Holland

LONDON, Oct. 6 (CP).—Britain's crack new Mosquito bombers attacked a factory and a power station near Hengelo, Holland, today and left them burning after hedge-hopping 100 miles inland to reach their targets at dusk.

Earlier, other Mosquito craft bombed objectives in Western Germany, but the Air Ministry news service did not specify the points. The attacks were made by single planes.

The daylight raids followed a night attack in which, according to the Germans, Essen, the heart of the Nazi munitions industry, was among the cities singled out. A new French-Canadian squadron, making its first operational flight, took part in the raid.

The Dutch power station was bombed by Squadron Leader D. A. G. Parry, who recently led a Mosquito formation in a daring assault on Gestapo headquarters in Oslo.

SHEET OF FLAME

A "great sheet of flame" rose from the station as the bombs burst and then, gave way to a dense cloud of smoke, Parry said. The Air Ministry news service said debris was flung high in the air when bombs struck the factory, near the power plant.

Although they flew over Holland so low the crews could see men and women in the village streets, the Mosquitoes encountered no enemy anti-aircraft fire or fighters. A flock of birds, however, smashed the windows of one aircraft. Flying glass cut the crew badly about the face and forced them to turn back to their base.

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Allied Forces Reach Gap in Owen Stanley Mountains—Enemy Pounded by Bombers From Rabaul to Buna—U.S. Flyers Swarm Over Central New Guinea

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Australia, Oct. 7 (Wednesday) (AP).—Australian forces in New Guinea, still without opposition from fleeing Japanese, have reached the gap in the Owen Stanley Mountain range leading to Buna, Australian dispatches said today, and there were indications that the enemy might be revising his whole plan of campaign in extreme Southeastern New Guinea, perhaps even abandoning there his closest foothold to Australia.

The mystery of the Japanese overland retreat, now in its tenth day, was heightened by the presence of a Japanese convoy which American bombers caught on Monday as it sped northwest from Buna. It was not clear immediately whether the convoy was withdrawing forces from Buna, or had attempted to land reinforcements there.

OVERCOME OBSTACLE
Australian dispatches from New Guinea said that Australian forces had clambered up the last steep grades in the Owen Stanley Mountains to the 6,000-foot-high gap through the rugged mountains. This had negotiated a tortuous 1,000-foot climb over a jungle trail which presented one of the greatest obstacles between them and Buna.

There was a possibility that the Japanese might make a stand at Kokoda, some fifty miles inland from Buna. But the speed of their headlong flight raised the question here that they might be repeating their performance at Milne Bay, south of Buna, from where they withdrew an invasion force in the face of great Allied odds.

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German Tank Smash in Stalingrad Ends With Only One Machine Left

Japanese Make New Landings At Heavy Cost

Troops Put Ashore in Solomons—Enemy Heavy Cruiser Damaged

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6 (AP).—The Japanese have succeeded in landing new troop reinforcements on Guadalcanal island in the Solomons, despite strong aerial opposition, and a new enemy effort to capture the United States air base on the island obviously is in the making.

A navy communication said tonight the troops had been put ashore by a force of destroyers and a heavy cruiser on the night of October 3-4, following a daylight attempt by a small group of bombers with extraordinary heavy fighter protection to bomb the American base.

CRUISER DAMAGED
The cruiser was damaged by at least one dive-bomb hit and two torpedo hits. Moreover, the air raid was repelled without a bomb being dropped and eleven of an estimated thirty Japanese fighters were destroyed—two by anti-aircraft fire and nine by a little band of seven navy fighters which went up against the big enemy force.

Only two American planes were lost, one in repelling the air raid and one in dive-bombing the cruiser, and the crews of both were saved. Nonetheless, it was apparent that the Japanese had succeeded in getting reinforcements of men, and probably of supplies, ashore to strengthen the units which have held tenaciously to their numerous positions in the rugged interior of the contested island.

AIRFIELD OBJECTIVE
This could only mean that the Japanese are trying desperately to accumulate a strong force to recapture the airfield since there is no other objective for them on the island. The American defence area occupies a section of the north shore of the island and, so far as can be judged from reports issued here, the rest of the wild terrain is a sort of no man's land.

The navy said that during the period covered by tonight's communication—October 3 and the succeeding night—there was little ground activity although navy and Marine Corps dive-bombers blasted enemy supply dumps, and strafed enemy troops. Meanwhile, the Japanese continued to land small detachments of troops.

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Speeding Up New Highway

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 6 (AP).—Official announcement was made today that the Pan-American Highway has been completed to a point 135 miles southeast of Mexico City and that shortly it will be finished over a stretch of another seventy-five miles to the city of Oaxaca.

The southern terminus of the paved roadway is now at Huajuapam in Oaxaca State.

CORA HIND DIES

WINNIPEG, Oct. 6 (CP).—Miss Cora Hind, eighty-one, dean of newspaperwomen in Canada and world authority on agriculture and livestock, died today. She suffered a stroke last night.

From pilot officer to flying officer: British Columbia—A. M. Watson, H. D. Stevens, both Vancouver; G. R. Patterson, K. A. France, both Kelowna; P. G. Willis, Victoria; J. P. McElroy, Kamloops; H. R. Sherdown, Armstrong; D. A. Garbutt, Duncan.

TELEPHONE SERVICE GIVEN AUTHORIZATION

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6 (AP).—Radio telephone service across Siberia to Russia was authorized today by the Federal Communications Commission. The agency approved a special permit for the American Telephone & Telegraph Company to conduct radio telephone testing between Dixon, Cal., and Khabarovsk.

Five Wounded by Bomb in Belfast

BELFAST, Oct. 6 (CP).—Five persons were wounded, three of them seriously, when a bomb was thrown into a Belfast street tonight. The assailants escaped.

Twelve Break Into City Block But Eleven Are Destroyed by Nightfall—Russian Counter-Offensive in North Progresses—Artillery And Aerial Support Gains Nazis Little

Repulse Many Enemy Raids

MOSCOW, Oct. 7 (Wednesday) (AP).—Twelve Nazi tanks out of a huge formation beating at the Russian defenders wedged in the ruins of Stalingrad broke into a single city block yesterday, but eleven of them were destroyed by nightfall, the Russians announced early today on the forty-fourth day of siege.

The Russian relief counter-offensive north of Stalingrad meanwhile made further progress, the Tuesday midnight communication said. Five hundred Germans were killed, and three tanks, nine guns, two mortar batteries and thirteen machine gun nests were destroyed as one Red Army unit "advanced somewhat" in that sector.

Another detachment of Russian Guards was reported officially to have broken into the outskirts of a populated place demolishing blocks of houses and wiping out 150 Germans.

Field dispatches said Volga River gunboats covered this advance which is increasingly threatening the extended Nazi flank from the Don River to Stalingrad on the Volga.

IN FACTORY TOWN
The brief Nazi wedge in Red positions occurred at noon in a factory settlement apparently in the north-western edge of the city after "large forces of enemy tanks and infantry constantly attacked our troops."

Thus, despite heavy aerial and artillery support, the Germans had made no substantial progress in more than twenty-four hours.

One Red Army unit inside the city also was credited with the destruction of seventeen more Nazi tanks and about one battalion (300 men) during the day, and three low-flying enemy planes were downed with rifle and machine-gun fire.

The Russians reported a withdrawal from one populated place in the Mordok area of the mid-Caucasus after a savage fight in which the place changed hands four times.

In another sector of the same front, defenders knocked out four tanks, ten machine-guns, and two trucks, and killed about 200 Germans, the bulletin related.

Along the Black Sea coast south-

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Orders Halt To All U.S. Gold Mining

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6 (AP).—The War Production Board decided today to order all gold mining halted in the United States to make the miners and some of the equipment available to the non-ferrous metal mines for more vital war production.

The move had been contemplated for some time and a W.P.B. spokesman, declining to be quoted by name, reported that the board finally decided at its regular meetings today to take the action.

The order will be issued within the next day or so, the spokesman said, and will direct all gold mines to cease production at some date in the near future, probably a month or two hence. The mines will be permitted, however, to remain in a "stand-by" condition with skeleton crews on hand to prevent flooding and other damage.

Five Killed In Air Crash
SAVANNAH, Ga., Oct. 6 (AP).—Five men stationed at Hunter Field of the Savannah army air base were instantly killed here late today and a sixth was critically injured when the combat plane in which they were making a routine flight crashed over Camp Stewart.

ON THE MARCH
Willkie followed up his statement by broadcasting extensively over a national hookup to the Chinese people "Mankind is on the march," he said. "The old colonial days are past."

The one-man volunteer fact-finding emissary said he expected "to dedicate the rest of my life urging that the world be constructed after the war on a basis where all men can be free and with governments of their own choosing."

His statement, issued after his fourth conversation with Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, was in the same unvarnished style as the one he gave in Moscow appealing for a second European front "at the earliest possible moment, which our military leaders will approve."

Beef Rations Not Probable
OTTAWA, Oct. 6 (CP).—J. G. Taggart, foods administrator of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, told The Canadian Press that it was not likely that rationing of beef would be imposed this Autumn.

Beef supply prospects are expected to improve during the Autumn months, Mr. Taggart explained. If there was a shortage it would be likely to occur in the Spring or next Summer.

Rationing of any commodity was a complicated process and it would not be put into effect speedily.

DELEGATES CLASSIFIED.
The convention committee decided on three classes of delegates as follows:

1. Delegates ex-officio.

(a) All Conservative Party Committees who now support the Federal Conservative Party.

(b) All Conservative Senators.

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Ten Executed in Norway as Martial Law Put in Force

Nazi Commissioner Terboven Arrives at Trondheim to Suppress Sabotage—Unrest in Denmark

LONDON, Oct. 6 (CP).—Nazi firing squads executed ten persons in Trondheim and vicinity tonight, as German authorities enforced martial law along the Norwegian coast in an effort to stamp out a spirit of rebellion which appeared to be spreading in the Scandinavian countries, radio reports from Norway said.

The executions took place less than twenty-four hours after the Germans had proclaimed a state of emergency in a 400-mile strip of territory along the sea, and just a few hours after Nazi Commissioner Josef Terboven arrived in Trondheim to take personal charge of energetic measures to suppress sabotage.

The ten persons executed, it was reported here, were accused of "endeavouring to sabotage food-producing factories."

The executions followed wholesale

arrests. One report said 700 Norwegians had been rounded up in Trondheim alone in the last few days.

ARMED PATRIOTS

The men who faced the firing squads were described in Norwegian quarters in London as being patriots of Trondheim, Roer and Orkanger. Among them were a bank director, an editor, two lawyers, a civil engineer and a building contractor.

The police chief announced by radio that the property of the men executed had been confiscated. He indicated also that more than sabotage of food supplies was involved and implied hostile action had been directed against German armed forces.

The Stockholm radio reported that one of the immediate reasons for

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Canadians Must Pay More to Finance War

Cost Now Tremendous, Says Denis-Hagar, Victory Loan Organizer—Canadians Will Have to Save More and Reduce Living Standard

TO meet the tremendous financial demands imposed by the war and to assure the maximum effort in other directions, Canadians will have to contribute more than ever before to the war effort, says Denis-Hagar, organizer of the Victory Loan campaign, described the job of the Empire has ever tackled.

Declaring that war is Canada's biggest and most important business today, Mr. Hagar, organizer of the Victory Loan campaign, described the job of the Empire has ever tackled.

"The job of winning this struggle for survival is a business which will cost money, money in sums so large they stagger the imagination. Consequently, one of the most important branches of this effort is that of financing."

MUST PAY HEAVILY
To provide the necessary funds, he declared, Canadians will have to pay heavily in taxes, will have to contribute every available dollar in the form of loans to the Government, and will have to lower their standard of living.

"For the current financial year, ending March 31, 1943, expenditures are forecast at \$3,900,000,000, of which \$3,330,000,000 are for war and \$570,000,000 for non-war purposes. Taxation receipts are estimated at \$2,050,000,000, equal to more than 50 per cent of expenditures, leaving borrowing needs at \$1,850,000,000," the speaker explained.

Emphasizing that the introduction of compulsory savings does not mean the country will be able to meet its borrowing needs without voluntary savings, Mr. Hagar contended that the need in this direction is now greater than ever before.

"These borrowing needs will be met to the extent of less than \$100,000,000 from compulsory savings, leaving more than \$1,750,000,000 to be covered."

Mr. Hagar told his audience that the bulk of voluntary savings will have to come from citizens who receive modest incomes, especially persons in families whose incomes have gone up because of war conditions. While these savings, individually, might not seem large, in total they could reach a huge amount.

MEANS SPENDING LESS
As for reducing the standard of living, Mr. Hagar said: "This doesn't mean we'll be ill-dressed, ill-housed or ill-clad, but it does mean we must cut our spending to the bone."

A voluntary reduction of living standards, besides building up the war effort, will help to counteract inflation and hold down the need for further governmental control of the daily lives and business activities of Canadians, Mr. Hagar declared.

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Becomes Senator



THOMAS VREN, K.C.

WHO yesterday was named to fill one of the fifteen Senate vacancies. He is Liberal Member of Parliament for Montreal-Outremont and deputy speaker of the House of Commons.

TEN EXECUTED IN NORWAY BY NAZIS

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Imposition of the state of emergency was the discovery of preparations to damage the Trondheim-Mosjøen railway.

"It is time to make a complete clean-up of all dangerous elements," said the German-controlled Oslo radio. "While the German army is fighting hand-to-hand battles its enemies, who are also ours, are using agents to create disorder in the country."

Denmark, reported here to have spurned a German suggestion to become a "model state" in a Naziized Europe, was gravely concerned for her future independence.

"Our task is to preserve our freedom," said Danish Prime Minister Orla Buhl in a solemn address to Parliament.

APPREHENSION GROWS
Throughout the Scandinavian lands apprehension grew that Hitler was about to proclaim the creation of "Great Germany," to include Denmark, Norway and Holland.

Swedish sources protested against more insistent German demands for more food and wood, and there were ominous statements here that Sweden was "finding it more difficult to preserve neutrality."

Into Norway went thousands of additional German civilians, many of them refugees from the much-bombed Rhineland.

Norwegian schools, said another report from the Continent, are almost all closed to children, and are occupied by Nazi troops and German civil authorities.

The Gestapo's control of all phases of life was tightened in Norway and Denmark especially appeared concerned over the prospect of having imposed on it a Gestapo government, patterned after Nazi administrations in Holland and Norway.

One Danish source here said Hitler has demanded control of the Danish police force and key posts in the Ministry of Justice. Reuters reported from Stockholm that the palace guard at Copenhagen had been quadrupled, that tension was increasing and that there was a serious rift between Denmark's King Christian and Hitler.

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HEPBURN "ADMIRABLE"
At the same time he criticized the conditions attached to the release, Mr. Hearn expressed "admiration for the prompt manner in which you have acted." The appeal of Buck and the others for the release from detention was heard last week.

"I am convinced the people of Canada want the state wind clean, a periodic report to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and an undertaking not to carry on Communist Party organizational work while the party is under ban as an illegal organization."

SECRET PLANES IN DAY RAIDS
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In another daylight action, R.A.F. fighters on offensive patrol duty off the French coast set an enemy mine sweeper on fire and caused it to run aground.

Last night's raid on Essen, site of the Krupp Munitions Works, was the forty-ninth on that city since the war started.

Dances at "Melody Lane" tonight. Evelyn Hall's orchestra. Beautiful hardwood floor, checking out passes given. 1314-16 Government Street, Street Floor.

THREE APPOINTED TO CABINET POSTS

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It is generally expected that General LaFleche will be a candidate in Outremont, a riding which gave a "yes" vote in the manpower plebiscite last April.

Mr. King made the announcement at a press conference in his East Block office late this evening, after a four-hour Cabinet council.

He said the Government for several months has been studying the problem of restoring to Quebec the traditional equality that province always enjoys with Ontario in Cabinet representation.

ONLY TWO MINISTERS
Because of the death of Justice Minister Lapointe and Senator Raoul Dandurand last Winter, appointment at about the same time of Hon. Pierre Casgrain, then Secretary of State, to the Quebec Superior Court bench, and resignation of Hon. P. J. A. Caudin, Works and Transport Minister, over the conscription issue, Quebec for some time had had but two ministers in the Cabinet.

They are Justice Minister St. Laurent and Air Minister Power. Now Quebec will have five ministers in the Cabinet if General LaFleche succeeds in obtaining a seat in that province.

Ontario has six members in the Cabinet and other provinces are represented as follows: Nova Scotia, one; Prince Edward Island, one; New Brunswick, one; Manitoba, two; Saskatchewan, two; Alberta, one; British Columbia, two, including the Government Leader in the Senate, Hon. J. H. King, who is Minister without portfolio.

Mr. Thorson succeeds to the Executive Court vacancy created by death of Hon. A. K. McLean. He was called to the War Services Department when it was formed in mid-1940, previously sitting at a private member for Selkirk which first sent him to the House of Commons in 1935. He was defeated in 1939, but re-elected in 1935 and again in 1940.

WAR SERVICES CONTINUE
Mr. King said the War Services Department, which many thought might be abolished since it is being depleted by transfer of Public Information and the Compulsory Service Call-Up Branches to other departments, will continue to function.

"It had always been my hope," the Prime Minister said, "that the Minister of War Services would not be too closely held down by administrative matters and would be able to get around among the people."

He said General LaFleche has special gifts in that direction. I think, too, that the war effort can be immensely strengthened if the War Services Department exercises greater supervision over and co-operation with voluntary services. I believe General LaFleche will be interested in seeing that done."

It was Mr. King's first formal press conference since last Winter and he shook hands personally with each of the close to a score of correspondents who crowded into his office.

He said he hoped to make an announcement in a few days of the appointment of ministers to the proposed new Canadian Legations in Moscow and Chungking.

Commenting on the appointment of Mr. Vren to the Senate the Prime Minister said Mr. Vren would co-operate with Hon. J. H. King, Government Leader in the Senate, who succeeded the late Senator Dandurand in that capacity last Winter and is a minister without portfolio.

APPOINTMENTS APPROVED
Ordinary orders in council must be approved by the Governor-General before they are made public. Mr. King said he had talked by telephone with the Earl of Athlone who is in residence at the Citadel, Quebec, and had obtained his approval of the ministerial and other appointments.

The new ministers and Mr. Michaud will be sworn in tomorrow in the Privy Council before Chief Justice Sir Lyman Duff in his capacity as deputy for the Governor-General.

For Mr. Michaud to transfer his portfolio required his resignation from fisheries so that he can be re-sworn as Minister of Transport.

In some quarters it is believed there will be further cabinet changes in the near future, possibly including the lighting of the highway being placed upon Labor Minister Mitchell by the addition to his portfolio of unemployment insurance and national selective service, including the call-up for compulsory military service.

Gen. LaFleche is the only newcomer in the political fold among the appointments. He was born at Sorel, Que., April 16, 1888, and is a veteran of the First Great War in which he won the D.S.O. and Legion of Honor, and suffered serious wounds which cost him an eye and a crippled arm among other marks of battle.

WAS DEPUTY MINISTER
Gen. LaFleche became deputy minister of national defence in 1930, remaining in that post until ill-health forced a temporary retirement just before the present war began. He was in France for a time as military attaché at the Canadian Legation there prior to the French collapse in 1940. He then returned to Canada and became assistant deputy minister of national war services.

Most of the appointments had been subject of speculation for the past year but it was generally considered Mr. Fournier had prejudged his chances when he voted against the Government on the Government's move to repeal the statutory ban against conscripting men for service overseas last Spring.

Mr. Fournier is forty-nine years old and a barrister who has been in Parliament steadily since 1930. He has frequently acted as chair-

New Minister of Transport



HON. JOSEPH E. MICHAUD.

MINISTER of Fisheries, who resigns that portfolio to become Minister of Transport, in the cabinet reorganization announced yesterday at Ottawa.

man of the House in committee and as chairman of special committees of the House.

BERTRAND A LAWYER
Mr. Bertrand supported the Government on its plebiscite and conscription policy, one of the few Quebec members to do so. He is quiet-spoken and, like Mr. Fournier, completely bilingual. A barrister and member of a Montreal law firm, Mr. Bertrand is a native of Somerset, Que., where he was born December 15, 1888.

Mr. Michaud is a native of St. Antoine, Que., where he was born September 28, 1886, and practised law in Edmundston, N.B., not far from his birthplace, until he came to Parliament in 1935. He became Minister of Fisheries in 1935.

Mr. Thorson is fifty-three years old, a native of Winnipeg and a member of the House of Commons since 1929, except for the period 1930 to 1935. He is a Rhodes scholar and lawyer. He served in France with the British Expeditionary Forces in the First Great War and held the rank of captain.

JAPANESE FLEE BEFORE ADVANCE
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B-25's that raided Tokyo—attacked the Japanese ships, but the pilots did not observe the results. Three protecting Japanese Zeros were shot down and one of the bombers was lost in this engagement.

Five more Japanese Zeros were shot down in the day's assaults, which constituted the biggest day of Allied air operations in recent weeks.

One of the strongest forces of Flying Fortresses ever to take the air in the Southwest Pacific was sent against Rabaul, but weather prevented some of them from reaching the target. Those that made it scattered bombs across runways and dispersal areas of the airbase there. One Fortress failed to return.

FIFTY-MINUTE FIGHT
These raiders were challenged by twenty Zeros in a fifty-minute fight and the American airmen accounted for four of the day's bag of enemy fighters.

Other formations of United States flyers swarmed over Central New Guinea, blasting the Japanese. One concentrated attack was aimed at Samarai, about five miles northwest of Buna. There and elsewhere the raiders reported they ran into the strongest aerial opposition of recent weeks.

Flying Fortresses also attacked Buna airbase and later Havoc and Kittyhawks strafed barges and machine-gun positions. The latter apparently had been set up behind the base as a precaution against surprise attack from the rear.

DRUG STORES WILL BE FORCED TO CLOSE
NEW YORK, Oct. 6 (AP)—United Drug Company dealers have been told that between 10,000 and 12,000 drug stores in the United States will be forced to close during the next year, J. L. Macfadyen, the company's general sales manager, told a meeting of the retailers yesterday.

The closings would be the result of shortages, and drafting druggists into the armed services.

Receives Word Of Son's Death
NANAIMO Oct. 6—Mrs. Elizabeth Butler, well known professional nurse here, received word today of the accidental death of her son, Pilot Officer John David Butler, R.C.A.F., native son of Nanaimo.

No details of the accident were given. P.O. Butler leaves his widow, Daphne, whom he married in Hantsport, England, living at Sidney, Vancouver Island; his mother, and a younger brother serving in England with the Canadian Scottish Regiment.

P.O. Butler was shot down over England and injured. He had flown over enemy territory in different engagements before being returned to Canada.

He was employed by Nanaimo-Duncan Utilities here at the time he enlisted in the R.C.A.F., and was highly respected here and a very popular member of the younger set.

Burial on Friday For R.A.F. Pilot
P.O. Norris Thomas, R.A.F., who died Sunday night when the twin-engine bomber he was flying alone on a training flight crashed on Salt Spring Island, was from London, England, and had been in Canada four months. R.A.F. Headquarters here announced yesterday. He was a pupil of No. 32 O.T.U.

Burial will take place at Royal Oak Cemetery on Friday at 10 a.m. with full R.A.F. honors. Pilot Officer Thomas was not married and is survived by his father at Bearne Hill, London.

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JAPANESE MAKE NEW LANDINGS

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Some of these landings presumably were made from barges and other small craft which the Japanese have been employing regularly for several weeks in their efforts to get reinforcements ashore without risking large ships close to Guadalcanal.

UNITS STRENGTHENED
Their hold over of destroyers and reported manoeuvre indicated that the enemy units on the island may have been substantially strengthened—by the larger ships could deliver a relatively large number of men more quickly than the barge flotillas.

The navy said the cruiser was damaged first when navy and Marine Corps dive-bombers discovered the surface squadron putting troops ashore. At least one hit was scored on the ship at that time.

Then shortly after daybreak a group of navy and Marine Corps torpedoes scored two torpedoes on the cruiser which was still at anchor as a result of the previous bomb hit.

The damaging of this vessel raised the number of enemy surface craft sunk or damaged in the two-month-old Solomon campaign to thirty. The loss of eleven planes raised the number of enemy aircraft destroyed to 230.

RUSSIANS WIPE OUT NAZI TANKS
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east of Novorossiysk, however, the Russians still were reported holding despite repeated attacks by heavy forces. Two hundred more enemy dead were left on the battlefield.

The Russians also announced a resumption of fighting in the Sinyavino area of the Leningrad defence belt where the Germans hurled two divisions against the Red Army.

"All the enemy attacks were beaten off with tremendous losses for him," the communique added.

Stalingrad's resolute garrison was reported fighting and German-set bomb fires, visible for miles, but there was nothing to indicate any weakening of the defence which has amazed all Russia.

Increasingly colder weather gave urgency to the assault, now concentrated in a workers' settlement, by more than 30,000 German troops of three divisions.

"The Germans hurry," said the Government newspaper Izvestia. "They see time passing. They fear delay. They are fiercely rushing forward."

REPULSED MANY TIMES
The military dispatches related how twenty-two consecutive German attacks were repulsed in a single segment of the workers' sector, and the midday communique announced another slight advance for part of the relief armies which are hammering at the Axis barricade northwest of Stalingrad.

In this latter fighting some of the attacking Soviet troops were halted by a great lake of fire, started when the Germans poured gasoline over the dry steppe grass.

The Nazi high command claimed merely that "a further advance" has been made by the Nazis in the Stalingrad-city area. It claimed a "second" Russian group was encircled northwest of the city. The additional heights were reported captured on the two Caucasian fronts.

The usual noon Soviet communique reported the continued use of enemy tanks and infantry in the city, told how one unit repulsed seven attacks and destroyed three tanks and a company of infantry, and credited schools of the Volga flotilla with silencing three of the enemy's artillery batteries and destroyed three clusters of mortars.

Will Confer Here
Dr. B. A. Hiltz, general secretary of the General Board of Religious Education of the Church of England in Canada, will be in Victoria October 15 to 18 to confer with diocesan boards of religious education on the development of their work, to hold conferences with the clergy and to address deaconry gatherings and meetings of workers in the religious educational field.

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FOUNDER'S DAY BANQUET HELD

Excellent Work of the Local Y.M.C.A. Commended by Several Old Members

Recollections of the early history of the Y.M.C.A. here and of its advance since the present building at View and Blanchard Streets was built in 1910, were popular at the Founder's Day meeting and dinner at the local Y.M.C.A. on Monday.

Several of the older members of the local association were present and extended their congratulations to those carrying on with the work today. Among them were E. E. Wootton, E. Whyte, J. B. Clearhugh, K.C., Hal Beasley, former outstanding sprinter, J. Kinzett and W. Lowe.

W. A. Bone, a member of the Y.M.C.A. for sixty-seven years, and the oldest member of the Victoria branch, spoke of his pleasant association with the organization, while W. T. Strath, K.C., M.P.P., paid tribute to the practice of providing free memberships to the sons of men in the armed services.

CLUBS REPRESENTED
Alastair Campbell, president of the Kiwanis Club, and Harold Bourne, Kiwanis president, expressed their appreciation at being able to associate with the Y.M.C.A. A message from the younger members was delivered by Jack Syme, president of the Phoenix Club, who described efforts young men and women of the Y.M.C.A. are making to benefit servicemen and war workers in the community, and of the members' A.R.P. squad at the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

H. B. Witter, Y.M.C.A. president, who conducted the meeting, spoke briefly of the origin of the organization in London ninety-eight years ago, and its growth to a membership of 2,250,000 in sixty-nine countries before the outbreak of war. The local branch, he said, was founded in 1875 by Thomas Trowne.

Soldier Dies in Fall From Truck Near Goldstream
A soldier of the Rocky Mountain Rangers was killed almost instantly yesterday on the Island Highway when he was thrown from the back of the military truck in which he was riding up-Island.

He was sitting on a chair in the back of the truck which apparently skidded near the intersection of the Island Highway and Goldstream Road. He was thrown out when the truck crashed into a rock bluff on the east side of the road.

The accident occurred at 10:10 a.m. and the soldier died about ten minutes later. The driver, Pte T. M. Slater, and two other soldiers riding in the truck were uninjured. The only damage to the vehicle was a bent left front fender.

Sergeant C. C. Jacklin and Constable L. Becker, of the British Columbia Police, attended. They reported the road surface was wet and slippery and that it was raining at the time. When the truck was finally stopped it was facing toward Victoria.

The body was taken to McCall Bros. Funeral Home.

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Victoria Dealers Not in Favor of Wood Diversion

According to local wood fuel dealers, any diversion of Victoria's wood fuel supply, which was discussed at the recent Nanaimo City Council meeting, would likely work a hardship on Victoria consumers.

The Wartime Prices and Trade Board told the fuel committee of the council that it would be willing to issue an order to the sawmill at Great Central Lake to divert to Nanaimo part of the wood now going to Victoria.

The amount that would be diverted if the plan was adopted, according to the report, would be approximately twenty cords per day. Dealers here said they are still being taken from Victoria would be detrimental to present conditions in Victoria.

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They Face the Enemy and Make the Sacrific

Spirit of Resistance Spreading in France

Conscription of Workers for German Industry Proves Blunder, Arousing People From Apathy

LONDON, Oct. 6 (CP).—A fiery spirit of resistance to the Germans is taking the place of apathy in France. Qualified observers in London who never have been inclined to place much faith in reports of French opposition to the German occupiers, say now reaction against both the Nazis and Vichy is becoming more common as the Germans put on the screw.

France definitely would react more powerfully now than a month ago, said one source, attributing the change to Laval's German-inspired decree conscripting labor and to the anti-Semitic drive.

These moves, the former a potential threat to every Frenchman and the latter antagonizing Roman Catholic elements, were described as "sheer folly."

Militarily, it was admitted, France will have to be saved, for she is a defeated nation without arms, but morally she is being goaded out of the apathetic state which followed her collapse in 1940.

HITLER BLUNDERED. The Germans, whose policy towards France at first was masterly and incredibly dangerous to Britain, blundered. In its frenzied search for manpower, the impatient German High Command demanded first the nationalization of French

Germans against Russia "had electrical effects on the nation."

"Herriot," he said, "is now regarded in France as the leader of the internal movement of resistance to Hitler and his satellites, Doriot, Deat and Laval."

Herriot this week-end was placed under house arrest at his home near Lyons, occupied France, by the Germans.

CAPTAIN F. NORRIS DIES AT DEEP COVE

The death occurred on Monday at his residence, Deep Cove, of Capt.

He was born in London, England, and came to Canada and Victoria in 1899, and had lived at Deep Cove for the past thirty-one years.

He is survived by his wife, Alice Maude Norris, at home, one son, Frank J. M., at Deep Cove; four daughters, Mrs. F. K. Burr, of Kelowna; Mrs. J. S. Whitting, of Cedar Falls, Wash.; Mrs. L. W. Prager and Mrs. Nellie Bibby, both in Vancouver; also two sisters in England.

The funeral will be held on Thursday leaving Haywards B.C. Funeral Chapel at 1:30 p.m. for Holy Trinity Church, Patricia Bay, where service will be conducted by Rev. C. A. Sutton at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be in the churchyard.

Obituary

ENGEL.—Many friends and relatives attended the funeral services for Ernest George Engel yesterday afternoon in the chapel of Sands Mortuary, Ltd., Rev. C. Kingsfield conducted the services. The following acted as pallbearers: J. E. Murray, M. Burkhardt, J. Thompson and P. Hellman. Interment was in Royal Oak Burial Park.

TRENCHARD-CLARK.—Funeral services will be held today at 3:30 o'clock at Sands Mortuary, Ltd., at Royal Oak.

MONSON.—Rev. N. E. Smith will officiate at the funeral services today at 2 o'clock for Alex. Monson. Interment at Colwood.

HOSKING.—Funeral services for Christopher Hosking will be held Thursday at 2 o'clock at Sands Mortuary, Cremation at Royal Oak.

MARTIN.—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Tuesday, the death occurred of William Martin, of 1221 Yukon Street, aged sixty-two years. Born in Durham, England, he was a resident of this city for the past thirteen years. The remains are resting at McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel, where funeral services will be conducted on Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. T. H. McAllister will officiate. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

SHILLING.—Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Annie Shilling were conducted in McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon. Rev. Peter McNabb conducted the services. The following were pallbearers: W. Campbell, J. Woollett, J. Comber and P. J. Sinnott. Interment took place in the family plot in Colwood Burial Park.

PETER.—The death occurred on Monday at St. Joseph's Hospital of Alexander Peter, aged sixty-seven years, chief of the Songhees Reserve, Esquimalt. Chief Peter was born on the Songhees Reserve. He was a nephew of Chief Jim, the first chief of the Songhees Tribe. He is survived by his widow at the family residence on the reserve. Funeral service will be held Thursday morning from Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Old Esquimalt Road, at 9 o'clock. Rev. Father Julian celebrant. Interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. Arrangements are with the Thomson Funeral Home.

BACON.—Many friends were present Tuesday afternoon at funeral services for Richard Harold Bacon. Rev. O. L. Jull officiated. Interment took place in Royal Oak Burial Park with the following as pallbearers: R. Wilkinson, George Boulton, J. Neilson, H. J. Boulton, A. Clements and M. Hamilton. S. J. Curry & Son had charge of arrangements.

REGAN.—There passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday morning Margaret Mary Allen Regan, daughter of the late W. F. and Mrs. Regan. Miss Regan was born in Victoria and had lived here all her life. She is survived by her mother and one brother, William John Bernard Regan, 1031 Pandora Avenue. She was educated at St. Ann's Academy and at the Mademoiselle of the Sacred Heart School, Vancouver. The remains are at McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel, where prayers will be offered this evening at 8:30 o'clock. Mass will be celebrated at St. Andrew's Cathedral Thursday morning at 8 o'clock. Interment will be at Ross Bay Cemetery.

SHAKESPEARE.—The funeral of Frederick N. E. Shakespeare will be held from Haywards B.C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. P. Hicks officiating, and interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

PENKETH.—The funeral of George Penketh will be held from Haywards B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Canon P. A. P. Chadwick will officiate. Interment will take place at Ross Bay Cemetery.

PEEBLES.—The funeral of Mrs. Emily Peebles will be held from Haywards B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 1 o'clock. Thomas Mahnette officiating, and interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

HANCOX.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary M. Hancox will be held from Haywards B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. T. G. Griffiths will officiate. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.



FIRE VANQUISHED ON THIS TANKER

Usually when a tanker is burning as fiercely as this, it must be abandoned. This spectacular aerial photograph was taken of a United States tanker after it was torpedoed by an Axis submarine. Despite the raging fire the crew members were able to bring the flames under control and the tanker was towed to port by a United States navy ship. It is now in an East Coast shipyard, being repaired.

HAD LIVED HERE FOR FORTY YEARS

The death occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday of John Ewing, aged sixty-three years, of 3213 Rutledge Street. Mr. Ewing was born in Fifehire, Scotland, and had been a well-known resident of Victoria for the past forty years.

He is survived by his widow, Jane Ewing, two sons, David, of Victoria, and John, of Vancouver, and one daughter, Mrs. D. W. Carter, 777 St. Patrick Street, Oak Bay; four grandchildren, also three brothers in Scotland and one brother in California.

Mr. Ewing was a valued member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. He was also prominent in the Scottish societies of Victoria, being past president of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society. He was a member of the A.O.P. Court Victoria, also the Canadian Order of Foresters.

Mr. Ewing was also well known in soccer circles in Victoria, being a manager of the Saanich Thistles football team for eighteen years until his retirement two years ago. He also was a member of the Carpenters' Union.

The funeral has been arranged to take place on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel. Rev. J. L. W. McLean will officiate, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

CONSERVATIVES TO HOLD CONVENTION

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(c) All Conservative members of the House Commons.
(d) Members of Provincial Legislatures and Legislative Councils who support the Conservative party federally.
(e) All Provincial Conservative party leaders.

(f) All members of the national convention committee and chairmen of the sub-committees of the national convention association.

2 Delegates-at-large:
(a) As many delegates-at-large from each province as the province has Federal electoral districts, such delegate to be selected not by district but province-wide to represent the leading activities, educational, press, labor, agriculture, professions, business and so forth. They will be selected by the provincial associations.

(b) Special youth delegates-at-large, representing the Young Conservative Associations on the following numerical basis:

Ontario and Quebec—Nine of whom at least four shall be young women.

Each of the other provinces—Three, of whom at least one shall be a young woman.
They will be selected from representative Young Conservative Associations, under the guidance of provincial associations.

3 Riding delegates:
(a) Three official delegates and three alternate delegates from each Federal electoral district. In ridings entitled to two representatives in the House of Commons, six delegates and six alternate delegates may be selected.

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that, "in addition" to those classification, the resolution providing for the issuance of voting credentials to other delegates-at-large had been approved.

The committee chose H. R. Milner, of Edmonton, as its chairman, with R. A. Bell, Ottawa, secretary to Hon. R. B. Hanson, House of Commons Opposition leader, as secretary, and Miss J. E. Denison, Ottawa, as assistant secretary. Mr. Milner and Mr. Bell were chairman and secretary, respectively, of the interim convention committee which called together the national Conservative convention committee which met today.

Detailed arrangements for the convention will be managed by an executive committee composed of Mr. Milner, Mr. Bell, Gordon Graydon, Member of Parliament for Peel, Ont.; Gustave Monette, Montreal; Senator Louis Cote, Ottawa, and Lt.-Col. A. C. Casselman, member for Grenville-Dundas, Ont.
The transportation committee is composed of John T. Hackett, chairman, Montreal; J. Warren York, Ottawa; K. B. Carson, Saint John; Frank Stanfield, Truro, N.S.; J. George H. Jones, Portage la Prairie, Man.; George Whitmore, Regina; Hugh Farthing, Calgary, and Waldo Skillings, Victoria.

The local Winnipeg committee members are Lt.-Col. L. D. M. Baxter, chairman, and G. S. Thorvaldson, member of the Manitoba Legislature for Winnipeg, secretary.

POLICY COMMITTEE
In addition, a committee will give immediate study to resolutions and policy, and another one will study party organization matters to come before the convention. The members are:

Resolutions and Policy—Cecil G. Frost, Lindsay, Ont., chairman; R. K. Finlayson, Winnipeg, secretary; Mrs. Hugh Mackay, Rothesay, N.B.; Mrs. George Cockshutt, Brantford, Ont.; Mrs. Pierre L. Dupuis, Montreal; Alderman Miss Hilda Hesson, Winnipeg; Ivan Sabourin, K.C. St. Jean, Que.; W. J. West, Fredericton, N.B.; L. W. Fraser, Halifax; H. F. MacPherson, M.P.P., Charlottetown; P. W. Turnbull, Regina; R. Martland, Edmonton; M. G. Cable, Vancouver.

Party Organization—Gordon Graydon, Brampton, Ont., chairman; Mrs. J. Warren, Saskatoon; Mrs. Robert Conner, Toronto; Mrs. J. L. Hodges, Montreal; Mrs. Lowmes, Halifax; Mrs. Clarence Plimney, Beaufort, N.B.; J. C. H. Dussault, Montreal; C. B. Smith, K.C. Halifax; Hugh Mackay, M.L.A., Rothesay, N.B.; Hon. W. J. P. Macmillan, M.P.P., Charlottetown; W. C. Miller, M.P.P., Greens, Man.; P. H. Maguire, Saskatoon; J. H. Ogilvy, Edmonton; C. B. Garland, Nelson, B.C.

There was no indication during the day by Mr. Meighen, a former Prime Minister, as to whether he proposed to offer to vacate the leadership when the convention got under way. He has been national leader since last autumn.

During their lunch adjournment, the committee members heard an address by Lord Bennett, former Conservative leader, who now resides in the United Kingdom and is visiting Canada.

Conservatives attending the meeting agreed that the national convention would permit a full review of leadership and policy as suggested by Mr. Meighen.

FIRST SINCE 1938
The convention will be the first since 1938, when Hon. R. J. Manion, now director of civil air raid precautions, was chosen as leader to succeed Lord Bennett. It was held in Ottawa.

Dr. Manion was defeated in the Federal election of 1940, and since that time Mr. Hanson has led the Opposition in the House of Commons. Mr. Hanson has indicated that he will not be a candidate for the party leadership.

When he accepted the national leadership last fall, Mr. Meighen resigned from the Senate, where he was Leader of the Opposition. He was elected Prime Minister in the Union Government on July 10, 1920, and retained office until December 29, 1921. He again was Prime Minister in the Conservative Government which held office from June 28 to September 23, 1926.

AT SPENDING PEAK
WASHINGTON, Oct. 6 (AP).—United States war spending hit a peak of \$277,000,000 a day in September, the War Production Board disclosed today in its weekly statistical report. Total for the month was \$8,684,000,000.

GROUND CREWS TO BE FILMED

Contribution Will Be Shown In Air Force Picture To Be Produced Here

The contribution of the ground crews of the Royal Canadian Air Force and the important place they fill in maintaining this great arm of the fighting services, will be depicted in a film which the Canadian Government will make here.

Production of the film will start immediately at Patricia Bay under the direction of Capt. Osmond Borradaile, a former resident of Victoria, and now with the National Film Board at Ottawa. Accompanied by P. O. M. W. McClellan, his cameraman, and L. A. C. D. M. Bidmead, his assistant, Capt. Borradaile is now in the city.

The picture, "Men Without Wings," will be a pictorial message to impress upon the public the importance of the ground crews, without whom the airman could not keep flying. Captain Borradaile said yesterday:

TO PUBLICIZE CONTRIBUTION
"The Canadian Government wants to publicize the fine contribution the men in the ground crews are making, and to show people there are others handling planes besides the men wearing wings," Captain Borradaile explained.

Asked how long he expected to be here, he said: "If the Victoria weather holds up to its usual standard, we hope to be through in about three weeks."

A former student at University School here, Captain Borradaile was last in Victoria about three years ago when he made a flying visit to shoot scenes for the film "49th Parallel." He has a wide background in motion picture production, including ten years' service with Alexander Korda in London, England. He worked as a cameraman in the production of a number of films, including "Henry VIII," "Sanders of the River," "Elephant Boy," "The Drum," "Four Feathers," "The Scarlet Pimpernel," "The Thief of Bagdad" and "The Lion Has Wings."

WOUNDED AT TOBRUK
Captain Borradaile is a veteran of two wars. Soon after leaving University School he enlisted with the 5th Regiment for service overseas with the Canadian Expeditionary Force. He joined up again for service in this war and while serving with the Imperial Army in the Middle East, was wounded during the siege of Tobruk. He was among the first Imperial troops to enter Bayreuth when Allied forces took over Syria from the Vichy Government.

Born in Winnipeg, Captain Borradaile is related to the Borradaile family of Salt Spring Island.

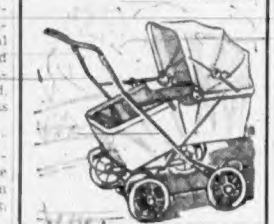
RESPONSIBILITIES OF RESERVISTS OUTLINED BY GENERAL PEARKES
The responsibilities devolving on reserve units in the defence of this area were outlined by Maj.-Gen. R. G. Pearkes, V.C., G.O.C.-in-Chief, Pacific Command, when he spoke to

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officers and N.C.O.'s of two Victoria units at Bay Street Armory Monday night.

General Pearkes addressed members of the 3rd Battalion, Canadian Scottish and the 114th Infantry Coy., Veterans Guard of Canada, and outlined the existing war situation and discussed possible developments. His address followed a parade of the reserve units through the downtown area of the city, led by the pipe and brass bands.

As the units returned to the Armory, General Pearkes took the salute at the entrance, and made a detailed inspection of the men.

NANAIMO, B.C., Oct. 6 (CP).—A permit for construction of a workshop, at the site of the recently formed Newcombe Shipbuilding Company, Ltd., was issued today by Turley Bros., Nanaimo contractors. The workshop will cost \$8,500.

What a Life!



Bob finds it pretty hard to smile because he's lonely all the while. Perspiring, friends will all condone. Offenders have to live alone.

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2. The licence is offered for sale without any warranty whatsoever on the part of the undersigned as to quantity or condition of the timber, and while the general idea thereof may be obtained from data in the office of the undersigned, the sale thereof shall be made in each case subject to the quantity and overages, the stipulations to be at the choice of and the overages for the benefit of the successful tenderer.
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AIR MARSHAL IS THRILLED

Canada's Great Flyer Pays Visit to Dawn Patrol Squadron

WITH THE R.A.F. SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, Oct. 6 (CP)—Air Marshal W. A. Bishop, V.C., returned home yesterday—home to the old "Dawn Patrol" Squadron the Canadian ace formed in the first Great War—and found it "doesn't seem to have changed much" since he last saw it in 1918.

Visibly affected as he stood before a group of young, eager pilots and observers who gathered in the crewroom to greet him, Air Marshal Bishop told them: "You don't know what a thrill it gives me to visit this squadron again."

He recalled that Lord Trenchard, who was Chief of Air Staff when he took over in the last war, told him to find the squadron and give him a free hand in selecting pilots and ground crew.

"I never spent such a happy time in my life as I did with this unit," he said.

By coincidence the squadron—an R.A.F. night-fighter outfit which has one of the best records of the fighter command—is commanded by a Canadian serving in the R.A.F., young Wing Commander Gordon L. Raphael, D.F.C., of Quebec City.

The squadron has destroyed more than forty enemy aircraft at night, in addition to more than 100 it knocked down during the battles of France and Britain when it was flying Hurricane day fighters.

BENT PROPELLER

The air marshal looked with pride at the bent propeller of a German aircraft—one of many shot down by the squadron during this war—which was hanging in a crewroom adorned with about 150 swastikas, representing the squadron's victories over the enemy.

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LONG RAILWAY CAREER ENDS

Montreal Official of C.N.R. Retiring After Forty-Eight Years' Service

MONTREAL, Oct. 6 (AP)—A railway career which extended back into the days of the kerosene lighting system for passenger coaches and the indenture of juniors as apprentices will terminate on October 12 when Edward Cassidy Elliott retires from the position of general passenger agent of the Canadian National Railways here.

Mr. Elliott was a railwayman for forty-eight years. His entire service was in the passenger department in Montreal, his native city, but his duties carried him frequently to all parts of Canada and he is well known to many thousands throughout the Dominion.

Elliott's first job under the old apprentice system netted him \$100. per year. "It wasn't so bad," he commented, "when you remember that there were no income tax problems then to harass a young man."

Elliott handled a great deal of theatrical and circus business in the early days and in those days the railwayman had to be very alert in taking care of the people of the "big top."

In a recent interview he recalled one occasion when an unhappy agent received several hundred dollars in silver from a circus treasurer in payment for transportation soon after midnight while the train waited on the siding. By the light of a switchman's lantern the agent counted coin by coin, rejecting the occasional "plugged" one until the total amount was checked off. After that experience the railwayman made a rule that \$10 would be the limit of silver coin accepted from any circus, even the lordly Barnum & Bailey.

YACHTSMEN WIN TROPHY

Competing for a trophy donated by sailing enthusiasts of the Royal Canadian Navy Volunteer Reserve over the week-end, members of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club scored more points than the sailors of the R.C.N.V.R. aggregated in cutter and whaler races over a course in Esquimalt Harbor.

A challenge event, with four navy and four yacht club crews taking part, two races were sailed, the afternoon's regatta culminating with the presentation of a fine polished wood tobacco jar, made by naval men and inscribed "R.V.Y.C. vs. R.C.N.V.R." This trophy is for annual competition.

SAILINGS IN EFFECT

Announcement by Canadian National Steamships reveals that twice-weekly sailings from Vancouver to northern ports are again in effect after a brief period when only one weekly sailing was made.

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SOCIETY AND PERSONAL NOTES

The christening of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Smith, 3055 Earl Grey Street, took place on Sunday afternoon at Metropolitan United Church, Rev. A. E. Whitehouse officiating. The child received the names of Sharon Joan, and her godparents are Mrs. L. Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. R. Hurst. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Smith received relatives and friends at tea.

Mrs. H. D. Portingale entertained at the tea hour recently in honor of her mother, Mrs. W. H. Wood, Chilliack, and her sister, Miss Lillian Wood, whose marriage to Sub-Lt. M. C. Morgan, R.C.N.V.R., will take place on Saturday. Bronze and yellow chrysanthemums were used in the decorations, and corsage bouquets of pink and cream roses were presented to the guests of honor.

During the absence of Captain W. O. Findlay on active service, his wife and three children, Billy, Donald and Lora, will make their home in Victoria and are at present staying with Mrs. Findlay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Mackay, St. Charles Street. They arrived from Ottawa on Sunday.

Mrs. J. Lloy Muttter has returned to her home on Terrace Avenue after visiting Halifax and Montreal, and staying some time in Toronto, where her son, James M. Muttter, is stationed at Debert with a tank unit. Mrs. Muttter also attended the Canadian Authors Convention in Montreal.

Mrs. Albert F. Griffiths, who returned some time ago after spending the summer visiting Vancouver and Seattle, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gardiner, Faithful Street, before going to Glenisfield Hotel, where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. Leslie Coote, who has been spending the past few weeks here, a guest at the Empress Hotel, leaves today for her home in New Westminster.

Mrs. G. A. Bucklin, formerly of Victoria, who has been residing at Brentwood, Los Angeles, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Reginald P. E. Hammond, Rodney Street.

Mrs. Gordon H. Anderson arrived by plane Tuesday morning from White Horse, Yukon, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Anderson, 2217 Vancouver Street.

Vancouver visitors registered at the Empress Hotel included Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Nash, Mr. G. S. E. Smith and Mr. H. S. Edgcombe.

After spending the summer months at Prospect Lake, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Munro have returned to their home on Granite Street, Oak Bay.

Mrs. F. A. Landsay, Rutland Road, Uplands, who has been visiting friends in the Okanagan, has returned home.

Mrs. Gillespie Munro arrived here from Vancouver, this morning, to attend the Stephens-Laurence wedding taking place today.

Miss Miriam Palmer, who has been spending the summer at Cobble Hill, is now visiting Mrs. M. Beasley, Beach Drive.

Major G. F. Millward is visiting the coast from his home in Ottawa and is registered at the Empress Hotel.

Chaplain and Mrs. Paul M. Bourns, of Fort Worden, are visiting here for a few days and are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Second-Lieut. E. A. Devitt is here



MRS. K. C. B. KETCHUM

Among recent arrivals at the Coast are Lieut.-Commander and Mrs. K. G. B. Ketchum and their small son, who have come here from Aurora, Ont., where Lieut.-Commander Ketchum was headmaster of the Royal Canadian Naval College, Royal Roads.

"Klondike Nite" To Be Featured By Junior W.A.

Dance of 49 will be remembered when "Klondike Nite" is staged by the Junior W.A. to St. Joseph's Hospital at the Crystal Garden on November 18. The general conveners will be Misses Bernadette Colbert and Mary Smith, assisted by Mrs. T. Woolson, Mrs. B. Jones, Misses Joy Winsky, Bernadette Corcoran and the following executive members: Mrs. G. W. LaCroix, Misses Gladwyn Brassey, Ruth Windau, Claudia Jesse, Rhoda Goward and Hilda Smith.

Arrangements for the party were made at the meeting of the Junior W.A., held in the Nurses' Home on Monday, with the president, Miss Gladwyn Beasley, in the chair. It was also decided at this meeting to donate the proceeds of the year's activities to furnishing a hospital ward for men in the services. Mrs. Reed Paige Clark, Mrs. John Hart, Mrs. Charles Wilson, Mrs. G. A. Goward and Mrs. G. Aylward have consented to be patronesses of the W.A. for the year 1942-43.

Mrs. C. A. Sabin Is Honored at C.W.L. Meeting

At the October meeting of Victoria Senior Subdivision, C.W.L., held last evening in the Bishop's House, Mrs. C. A. Sabin, charter member of the C.W.L. and former president of Victoria Subdivision, was unanimously voted an honorary member of the subdivision. Mrs. A. Cowden presided and there was a good attendance of members.

Deep sympathy was expressed to Mrs. W. P. Regan in the death of her daughter and members were asked to attend the recitation of prayers and the Requiem Mass on Thursday morning in St. Andrew's Cathedral.

Monsignor Baker addressed the meeting on the forthcoming Victory Loan, asking for fullest support and urging the study clubs to consider seriously the important questions of the day.

It was suggested by Mrs. E. Hornsby that the league should forward Christmas gifts as usual to the men overseas. Mrs. P. C. S. Shaw, Red Cross convenor, will make the usual arrangements in the given time. Mrs. A. Cowden, subdivision president, thanked the members who had offered their services at the K. Hut for several hours each day and asked that more helpers should present themselves regularly for the appointed tasks in the canteen.

The report of the St. Louis College Country Fair showed a most successful fete, the full return to be made later, and the committees were thanked for their splendid co-operation.

Mrs. Blair Reid and Mrs. E. Hornsby reported for hospital visiting and will continue during the coming month. Mrs. P. T. Porter was appointed convener of citizenship and Miss M. Clay took charge of the remailing committee. Mrs. Blair Reid announced the meeting to be held under the auspices of the Local Council at the Y.W.C.A. on Thursday afternoon when Miss Nell West will speak on Women's Auxiliary Services. Plans were fully discussed for the forthcoming annual Christmas bazaar, to be held in the

old K. of C. Hall. Members of various bazaar committees included Mrs. Cowden, Mrs. Blair Reid, Mrs. P. C. Shaw, Mrs. M. Morry, Mrs. M. Haley, Mrs. H. Hartnell, Mrs. R. Kennedy, Mrs. W. R. Martin, Mrs. A. Devine, Mrs. A. L. Battie, Miss V. Babington, Mrs. P. T. Porter, Mrs. M. E. O'Neill and others to be invited to assist. The subdivision offered congratulations to Mrs. Blair Reid upon her election to the Diocesan presidency. Mrs. Cowden speaking for the membership.

Reports of the secretary, Miss M. Clay, and the treasurer, Mrs. W. Mulcahy, and corresponding secretary, Miss V. Babington, were satisfactorily presented.

Miss Clay spoke on study clubs, reading a letter from Mrs. Agnes Hay, national convener, outlining the winter programme for such, also a letter from Mrs. R. Baker on



—Photo by Robert Fox.

KENNETH WARNER ROSS

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Crane, 1037 Lyall Street, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Marjorie Maude, to Mr. Kenneth Warner Ross, second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ross, Vancouver. The wedding will take place Friday, October 23, in St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church.

lay retreat. Mrs. P. C. Shaw spoke of Red Cross work and plans for the coming season. Mrs. Blair Reid asked leave to give her report on the Diocesan meeting at a later date, some of the members being unavoidably absent.

Give Farewell Party

Members of the Youth Victory Club and their friends gave a farewell party on Saturday night in honor of Private Yanda G. Huddleston, C.W.A.C., social convener of the club, who is leaving the city today. The party was held at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Huddleston, Yukon Street. Dancing and games were enjoyed, as was an impromptu musical programme given by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Michella and Mrs. Frank Thomas. At the close of the evening a buffet supper was served. Among the invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dresser, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson, Mrs. Margaret Gardner, Mrs. Greta Madge, Misses Helen Burton, Peggy Reade, Nora Kindersley, Florence Scoville, Messrs. Harold Gelling, T. Raefuse, W. Hutchinson, R. Miles, A. Coatsworth and L.A.C. N. Crowell and Harold Byers.

UNIVERSITY EXTENSION

Dr. Gordon M. Shrum, director of the Department of University Extension, will be present at the annual meeting of the University Extension Association on Monday, October 12, at 8 p.m. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. H. E. Young, 1208 Oliver Street. Members and prospective members are invited to attend.

Girls to Train and Work As Electric Arc Welders

Another step forward in the wartime education of women will be marked within the next two weeks with the introduction of an electric arc welding class for women with a view to employment in a local shipyard. The Government school for the shipbuilding trades in the Market Building, Cormorant Street, will be the setting for this new phase of feminine activity.

Training requires about 150 hours, or three months. During that time the learner will be paid a subsistence allowance of \$5 a week if she lives at home, or \$7 a week if she boards out. When fully trained the girl welder will be allocated to local shipyards, to work on the assembly lines in the yards, and not on the hulls. She will then receive the usual union wages.

MADE ARRANGEMENTS
Mr. C. A. Clements, personnel manager of the Victoria Machinery Depot has been largely instrumental in arranging for this undertaking, and it mainly applies to V.M.D. which is short of welders, and therefore in greatest need of them. It is through the efforts of Mr. Clements that Col. F. T. Fairley, regional director of the Dominion-Provincial Emergency Training programme, has undertaken to offer the inducements to women welders. Mr. Clements has also been instrumental, to some extent, in getting the union men to agree to work-

ing alongside women. Those going to work at V.M.D. will not be employed on vessel hulls, but will work on assembly lines in both yards and shops.

WORK IN B.C.

Although this class will mark the first Government training for girl welders for Victoria shipyards, female welders have already proved their worth in many phases of industrial activity. They are doing splendid work on the Mainland, according to Col. Fairley, in the Boeing Aircraft, the Dominion Bridge Ordnance Plant, C.E. Air Lines overhaul, Curtiss-Wright British-Aero-Engines, and in various subcontractors for the shipbuilding trades.

WORK IN GREAT BRITAIN

While the field of opportunity for women in the local shipyards is at present limited to electric arc welding, in Great Britain they have been used in shipyards or heavy industries in the following capacities: Welding under cover duplicating or marking off and centre punching, loft helpers, truck drivers, one-man punches, stores, tool rooms, timekeepers, and tracing in drafting rooms. They are also used for painting hulls, both in new work and repair berths. They work in tank factories as welders and machinists, while one steel mill in Great Britain is entirely operated by women.

Clothes and Morale Are Interwoven

LONDON, Oct. 6 (CP).—After food, authorities consider clothes to be the most important commodity required by the nation. Clothes play a big part in maintaining morale and to this end every effort is being made to make wartime utility clothes as attractive as possible.

Just how much has been done in this line was shown by the Board of Trade with the co-operation of the Incorporated Society of London Fashion Designers in a display of new garments which met regulations regarding the number of buttons and pockets and pleats allowed.

The main thing is to design and manufacture simple but attractive and durable garments which also come within the range of all pocket-books.

UTILITY STYLES

At the clothing display, designers—among them Britain's best and most well known—arranged coats, dresses, suits and blouses to show how their original models can be

To Open Bureau For Volunteer Workers Here

MRS. Nell West, director of Women's Division of National Voluntary War Services is here from Ottawa, and with the purpose of setting up a volunteer bureau in this city is calling a meeting under the auspices of the Local Council of Women, for representatives from all women's groups undertaking war work, especially from women's auxiliaries to the three services. The meeting will take place Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Y.W.C.A.

Industry Will Require Many Women Soon

TORONTO, Oct. 6 (CP).—Canadian industry will require 25,000 new women workers a month between now and Christmas, Mrs. Rex Eaton, assistant director of National Selective Service, said today in an address prepared for delivery to women attending the annual convention of the American Federation of Labor.

Canadian women, she said, had a new responsibility in war—a responsibility measured in hard work in tanks, planes and shells.

"What we must keep uppermost in our minds always is the importance of production," Mrs. Eaton said. "We did not start even and we have to catch up; and the women are going to play a role which grows increasingly larger in the job of catching up."

"Keep this figure in mind, we have to supply 25,000 women a month to industry between now and Christmas."

A new situation had to be faced by employers who had not previously employed women.

PLAN DAY NURSERIES
A plan for day nurseries to care for children of women workers was the approach to one of these problems. With the co-operation of the Ontario and Quebec Governments, nurseries would soon be in operation in those provinces.

Through institution of a policy of "equal pay for equal work" steps were being taken by the National War Labor Boards to prevent anyone taking advantage of a labor shortage by getting help for less money through employment of women.

The registration of women between 18 and 25 years of age and twenty-four had shown many willing to do part-time work.

"A large number of women must undertake this part-time work. It is hard work and it is important work."



—Photo by Leonard H. Stone.

MRS. BERNARD K. TARLING
A CHARMING Autumn bride was Margaret Joan, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Toms, who became the bride of W.O.2 Bernard K. Tarling, R.C.A.F., only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Tarling, England, at St. Saviour's Church, with Rev. A. S. Lord officiating clergyman.

Six Hundred Donors Needed By Blood Bank

Six hundred donors are needed by the Blood Bank which is being reopened today at 817 Government Street, under the co-operation of Mrs. W. B. Wilson. The bank has not functioned since the Spring and it is hoped that those in charge that the required number of donors will come forward enabling enough plasma to be obtained for a two-year supply. A doctor, a trained nurse and a V.A.D. will be in attendance daily from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday to Friday inclusive.

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Pheasant Is Captured by Girl Cyclist

The old adage, "A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush," was enacted in real life yesterday afternoon when a hen pheasant, believed to have escaped from Beacon Hill Park, flew into the arms of a C.P.R. Telegraph girl cycling along Broad Street outside The Daily Colonist Office.

Mickey Johnson, 1188 View Street, the messenger, stated the pheasant whizzed through the air, alighted on her left shoulder, and then flopped into her arms. She brought the bird to the Colonist Office. City police telephoned a virtual police, who in turn sent a game warden to take the pheasant back to the park.

Five minutes before the bird appeared on Broad Street, it was seen flapping its wings against the City Welfare Office at 617 Johnson Street. E. G. Snowden, welfare officer, dashed to the door but was soon outdistanced by the pheasant which raced on foot up the middle of the street.

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Clubs and Societies

W.A. to Air Services

The regular meeting of the W.A. to Air Services was held on Tuesday afternoon at the Y.W.C.A. Mrs. S. S. Pearce presiding. The resignation of Mrs. H. W. Blenkinsop as president was read to the meeting. Mrs. Blenkinsop has joined the R.C.A.P. (W.D.) and will be keenly missed members said. Donations included \$25 per month for food parcels to be sent to prisoners.

\$100 for the newly-formed Command Concert Party for costumes. This concert group is under the direction of Flying Officer Fraser Lister. A Christmas party for the wives and children of air force personnel will be convened by Mrs. Fred Spencer. The date and further details will be made known later. A fund was established for welfare work under the direction of Mrs. E. W. White. The sewing convenor, Mrs. H. Shaw, reported that the sewing group has completed twenty-four sets of bed jackets and bed socks for the W.A.A.F. overseas. The next sewing meeting will be held on October 13 at the home of Mrs. H. Kearton, 1030 Terrace Avenue. The knitting convenor, Mrs. Lorne Campbell, 1900 Beach Drive, has offered her home for the next knitting meeting on October 20. Seventeen articles were reported completed by the group at this meeting. Mrs. Fred Spencer reported on the collection of magazines.

St. Columba W.A.

A meeting of the W.A. of St. Columba was held on Monday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. C. Cue, Helen Road, with twelve members present. A silent tribute was paid to the memory of the late Mrs. Conley, of whom it was said her passing left a deep sense of loss to members who had grown to love her during the years which she spent among them. The devotion period was taken by the president, assisted by Miss H. L. Milne. This was followed by a reading "The Life of Joseph" by Mrs. M. Martin. Mrs. Watling gave an interesting report on the recent meeting of the Diocesan Board, which was held in September, the

W.A. voting against the purchase of "The Diocesan Remembrance Book" at this time. Seven "little helpers" have been enrolled, making a membership of twenty-three preschool children. Mrs. Cue reported that the sum of \$18 had been made at the recent card party, and another has been arranged to take place in the Strawberry Vale Hall on Wednesday, October 14, at 8 o'clock when all will be welcomed.

boys, etc., for Christmas cheer to the West Coast Missions on the table inside the lobby at the Memorial Hall by October 13. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Rayner, Holland Avenue.

C.W.L. Oak Bay

The regular meeting of the Oak Bay Subdivision of the C.W.L. and Altar Society of Our Lady of Lourdes Church was held on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. G. Chisholm, 1398 Oliver Street, with the president, Mrs. A. J. Robert, in the chair. Routine matters of business received attention and reports were given by the convenors of Red Cross sewing, Mrs. C. H. O'Halloran; hospital visiting, Mrs. M. Moring; magazines, Mrs. P. White; Mrs. C. H. Parker, convenor of the telephone bridge, gave a satisfactory report on this month's activity. Mrs. Robert gave a comprehensive summary of the C.W.L. meeting held recently in lieu of the annual convention. Activities for the coming months were discussed. Members were reminded of the Red Cross sewing meeting held every Tuesday at 2:30 at Mrs. J. K. Cornwall's home, Oak Bay Avenue. On the first Monday in November the regular meeting will be held at Mrs. A. S. Minnion's home, 2358 Beach Drive.

W.A. to P.C.L.L.

The Women's Auxiliary to the P.C.L.L. met at the Y.W.C.A. on Monday with the president, Mrs. J. T. Harper, in the chair. Tentative plans were made for the annual Christmas tree for the children of men of the regiment. Mrs. Harper and Mrs. G. West were appointed to buy the presents for this looked-forward-to event. Further details of which will be published from time to time. Mrs. F. S. Ross will be in charge of the Christmas sale of work. Reports showed that parcels, containing cigarettes, soap, razor blades, dried fruit, cheese and candy had been sent overseas to the men. Mrs. Albert Mainprize stated there were still many leather jerkins to be sewn and offered her home for an all-afternoon and evening sewing party on October 23.

Centennial W.M.S.

The devotional period at the meeting of Centennial Evening Auxiliary of the W.M.S. held at the home of Mrs. F. Hill, Manchester Road, was led by Mrs. A. McCormick, and Miss Mary Peat read an article on Christian stewardship. The guest speaker was Miss Pearl Wilcox, deaconess of First United Church, who gave an interesting thanksgiving talk, taking as her subject "In Everything Give Thanks." The first chapter of the new study book, "The Church in the City Streets," was reviewed by Mrs. M. Muirhead. Mrs. A. Corry sang a solo, accompanied by Mrs. J. W. Buckler. The meeting closed with prayer, led by Miss E. Middleton. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

W.A. to T.V.A.

The meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to T.V.A. will take place in the clubrooms on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Members having garments completed for overseas parcels are asked to turn them in.

Happy Valley

The first meeting of the Fall season of the Happy Valley Overseas Welfare Club will be held this afternoon at 2:30 p.m.

W.A. to Forestry Corps Overseas

The W.A. to the Forestry Corps overseas will meet in the Y.W.C.A. clubrooms on Friday afternoon punctually at 2:30 o'clock.

Honor Brides-Elect

In honor of Miss Ella Hood, whose marriage will take place this month, Miss Mary Macfarlane held a surprise luncheon at her home on Foster Street, recently. The guest of honor received a corsage bouquet of red carnations and heather. The gifts were attached to red streamers falling from the chandeliers. Amusing games were played and refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Miss Mariette Preddy, Miss Mary Macfarlane and Miss Ruth Morgan. Other invited guests included: Mrs. J. Hood, Mrs. Edith Brown, Mrs. R. Rennie, Mrs. J. Hatcher, Misses D. and G. Jones, Beryl King, Helen and Kay Ward, Myrtle Cook, Isabel Kearney, Lily Douglas, Jacqueline Campbell, Flora MacMillan, Millie Hughes, Hazel Miller, Ruth Morgan, and Yvonne and Owen Preddy.

Mrs. Leo Derman and Miss Margaret Andrews were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower held recently at the home of the latter, 2825 Prior Street, in honor of Miss Daisy Lyle, an October bride-to-be. Upon her arrival a corsage bouquet

of pink carnations and heather was presented to the guest of honor, while her mother, Mrs. D. Lyle, and Mrs. S. McCracken, mother of the groom-elect, received corsages of pink roses and stocks. The many useful gifts were concealed under a prettily decorated umbrella in a color scheme of pink and blue. The invited guests were Mrs. D. Lyle, Mrs. S. McCracken, Mrs. R. Payne, Mrs. W. Parry, Mrs. H. Aikens, Mrs. J. Gleason, Mrs. E. Corbett, Mrs. J. Marson, Mrs. B. Chambers, Mrs. D. Jones, Mrs. P. Foster, Mrs. P. Pomeroy, Mrs. G. Andrews, Misses M. Lyle, V. Lyle, E. Fyane, M. McCracken, J. Speed, E. Harrison, L. Meiro, M. Powers, Y. Melkie, G. Corbin, C. MacKinnon, M. Gurney, E. Patterson, M. Tulman, G. Lang, A. Wilkinson, F. Wood and E. Andrews.

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A busy sewing meeting of the Sir

Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter

The regular meeting of the Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held at headquarters on Monday night with the regent, Mrs. H. A. Stuart, in the chair. Mrs. H. Langford was appointed convenor of the chapter's corner for Alexandra Rose Day, Mrs. W. G. Gamble, war work convenor, reported articles to the value of \$14.80 had been turned in for war comforts and \$18.30 for bombed areas. Money collected at knitting meetings for the past month amounted to \$1035. Mrs. P. E. Corby was appointed the chapter's representative to the semi-annual meeting to be held at Burnaby on October 15. The members are collecting used cosmetic jars in aid of their war fund. The next meeting will be held at 2 o'clock, November 10. It was decided to hold the meeting in the afternoon instead of the evening, at any rate during the winter months.

A meeting of the joint project committee will be held on Thursday at 2:30 o'clock at the Sunshine Inn, 750 Pandora Avenue, at which all matters pertaining to jam projects will be closed for the season. Anyone who has loaned saucers to the committee is requested to call at the Sunshine Inn on Thursday and collect them. Workers who have left overalls or aprons are also asked to call and retrieve their belongings as the inn will be closed on Thursday.

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FASHIONS for Winter 1942-43 as designed by New York's custom-made houses. At top, the shawl for day and evening introduced by Jay Thorpe in sheer wool trimmed with mink tails; below, the new interest in passmenterie and embroidery—a pink wool dinner suit with scalloped jacket trimmed in jet beads, and a velvet bag with cut-out design over pink satin. Centre, the new fashions for winter night life—Bergdorf-Goodman's midweek evening dress with skirt longer in front and scalloped and jet bead trimming at neck and hem. Also Hattie

Carnegie's chemise dress with Winterhalter neckline. The bright Bleeding Heart crepe is embroidered all-over in beads. Note, too, the long gloves worn to give these dresses added formality. Long gloves are also worn with extreme evening dresses to create a covered-up look. At top, right, Mrs. Benenson's tulle-trimmed hat of fur matched with a chin-lifter scarf trimmed at ends in same fur. Below, Mainbocher's sweater set in wool trimmed with passmenterie in black braid and tassels, suggested for formal occasions, which room temperatures are at 65 and under. Worn with

evening and day-length skirts. Below, at right, Mrs. Benenson's new boy jacket suit in black wool—slim, slim skirt and jacket trimmed in Persian bands set flush with the fabric. Complemented with Persian mink and hat. Centre, Sophie Gimbel's young dance frock with extreme decollete and apron swag of lace—one interpretation of a trend to give polonaise look at front to evening skirts. The long sequin-trimmed scarf of tulle to give a covered-up look and the feather winery in the hair are ornaments typical of this season. At far left, the new wool "overcoat" with revers

and pocket edging of fur, complemented with huge fur beret and muff—a Sophie creation, but typical of a new kind of winter coat also sponsored by Mainbocher, Benenson and Carnegie. Notice, too, the pearls on the centre figure—multi-strand pearls are favorite jewelry this winter, according to these designers, for all occasions from morning onward.

Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. T. Murphy, Tupper Avenue. Seventeen members were present and a good start made on the ditty bags. The chapter has undertaken to make and fill twenty-five of these bags for the navy. Members will meet again in two weeks' time. Following the sewing, the hostess served dainty refreshments.

R. B. McMicking Chapter. The regular meeting of the Robert Burns McMicking Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held at headquarters on Tuesday evening with the regent, Miss Lloyd-Young, presiding. The regulations of two members were accepted with regret. A donation of \$25 was made to secondary education and a further donation of \$1 to the Isolated Families Fund.

Miss Beth Littlehale was appointed convenor for the Alexandra Rose Day. The war convenor reported articles to the value of \$14.80 had been turned in to Munitions Chapter. The chapter will be responsible for completing twelve ditty bags for the navy. The next knitting meeting is to be held on Wednesday, October 21, when Miss Jessie Knight and Mrs. Edna Harkes will be joint hostesses at the home of the latter. Plans are under way for a dance to be held in the near future.

An interesting paper was given by the Empire study convenor, Miss Christine McNab, on the history of Dieppe, and the recent command raid there.

Smith-Botham. A quiet wedding was celebrated in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, North Vancouver, on Saturday, October 3, when Rev. McLean Bell united in marriage Frank Ernest Charles Smith (M.M.), R.C.N.V.R., second son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Smith, North Vancouver, to Catherine Adelaide, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Botham, 821 Ridgway, North Vancouver. Given in marriage by her mother, the bride was dressed in a long white taffeta gown, her three-quarter-length veil held in place with a wreath of orange blossom. She carried a bouquet of roses and bouvardia. Miss Mollie Howitt was bridesmaid and wore a floor-length blue taffeta dress with hat en suite and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. Mr. George Rosander was the groomsmen. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Botham received the guests and wore a smart blue redingote ensemble with matching hat and a

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C.W.A.C.'S Back From Vermilion

Completing their basic training, 111 members of the C.W.A.C. have returned from Vermilion to their homes in British Columbia. In charge of 2nd Lieut. E. Dillworth, Victoria, and 2nd Lieut. Baxter. They reported to Vancouver headquarters and then left for their respective homes.

About twenty trainees were met at the Victoria wharf by army trucks, and singing their theme song, "Now the C.W.A.C.'S Are on Their Way."

Completing their basic training, from which they have come back with the snap and discipline of the trained soldier after weeks of training under real army conditions of drills, lectures and instruction in many phases of army work, many of them hope it is another step in training which will eventually lead to service overseas.

Some may return to Vermilion for training as instructors or transport work. Others will resume duties here.

Possible promotion and leave was in the minds of most of the graduates as they reported at headquarters yesterday, and some were given a few days to visit families in Victoria and other parts of the Island before starting work again.

Those from Victoria who graduated were Audrey Acton, Helen Kent, Mrs. L. M. Furber, S. J. Birrell, P. C. Borden, M. Bragg, M. Church, S. E. Elkins, M. E. Elliott, E. L. Fitzsimmons, A. M. Frost, M. Hawthorne, L. A. Johnson, E. P. Marr, A. A. McLeod, D. N. M. Nippin, F. C. Tolmie and M. E. Wilkinson.

A banquet and dance was given for the C.W.A.C. on the eve of their departure for the Coast.

What Today Means

If October 7 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9:45 to 11:45 a.m., from 1:45 to 3:45 p.m., and from 7:45 to 9:45 p.m. The danger periods are from 7:45 to 9:45 a.m., from 5:45 to 7:45 p.m., and from 9:45 to 11:45 p.m.

Some driving force may make you unusually energetic on October 7, and it may cause you to be rather impatient over delays. Give way to charitable impulses, for your intuition may lead you to do much good on this date. Some of the most commonplace occurrences may have an important bearing on your future.

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we do not overlook the most casual happenings. The average person will resent attempts made to force him to do something against his wishes, so avoid resorting to high-pressure methods in your efforts to get results. It will be much better to be too early than a little late for your engagements on this day, for few people will have the patience to wait very long for anyone. Criticism may have a decidedly depressing effect on sensitive people, so be careful how freely you indulge in it. Married and engaged couples, and those whose matrimonial hopes are soaring high, should remember that speech is a mirror of the soul and that it should reflect that which will be conducive to maximum happiness.

If you are a woman and October 7 is your birthday, you may have far more to gain through spiritual rather than material development. Generosity is apt to characterize most of your actions. Your helpful suggestions may win many friends and admirers, so do not hesitate to make them whenever there is an opportunity. In work with children, or as an interior decorator, librarian, trained nurse, newspaper woman, fiction writer, dietitian, or in any activity requiring business shrewdness, you ought to excel. You will, in all likelihood, have no difficulty in finding the ways and means to make a success of your married life.

The child born on October 7 frequently develops into a youngster more often is right than wrong in his contentions. Any tendency of this youngster to indulge in argument ought to be discouraged quickly. With the right incentive, Libra children are capable of getting splendid results in their chosen careers.

If you are a man and October 7 is your natal day, do not be overly frank or blunt in voicing your sentiments or you may find yourself constantly in hot water. You are apt to take thoughtlessly made remarks too much to heart, and suffer far more from them than anyone suspects. As an actor, author, journalist, clergyman, scientist, educator, composer, business executive, artist, inventor, contractor, architect, engineer, or in some patriotic activity, your achievements ought to be noteworthy.

(By The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

POSTOFFICE TO HIRE STUDENTS

Expected to fill the breach left by the labor shortage in the Victoria Postoffice this Christmas are sixteen and seventeen-year-old high school students. G. H. Gardiner, postmaster, said yesterday.

The staff will be augmented by 200 workers for the holiday rush, many girls being employed chiefly for inside work, but, if necessary, to take the place of postmen.

WILL PRESENT CANTATA

The choir of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, under the direction of C. C. Warren, will present next Sunday evening Caleb Simper's thanksgiving cantata, "The Rolling Seasons." The soloists will be Mrs. A. Ward and Mrs. F. Griffin, sopranos; Mrs. J. H. Ratcliffe, contralto; Mr. Stan Honeychurch, tenor, and Mr. A. W. Trevett, baritone.

Pacific Cannery Will Meet Here Next Week-End

About 200 delegates of the Association of Pacific Fisheries, from Monterey, Cal., in Alaska, will attend the association's yearly convention at the Empress Hotel on October 10, 11 and 12.

Saturday and Sunday will be given over to social activities, while on Monday business sessions will be held. Discussion is expected on problems facing the canning industry.

dine packers, and others in allied lines, will attend.

As a rule, the organization, closely associated with national canners, meets at Monterey. It includes all major companies of the Pacific Coast.

George J. Alexander, assistant commissioner of fisheries for British Columbia, will attend the convention.

Poultry Industry To Get Peat Moss

An order dealing with peat moss has been approved in Ottawa by the War-time Prices and Trade Board, which sets the maximum price per bale at which this commodity can be sold to the poultry industry for litter purposes in British Columbia.

Basic Magnesium Incorporated and the metals controller have released to the industry a maximum of 25,000 bales to be distributed through the feed dealers.

Poultrymen who require peat moss for litter purposes should contact their feed dealers, who will be able to advise them of the proper procedure to be followed in obtaining these requirements.

It is pointed out that the size of the bales which are being supplied is larger than what has been available in past years, as this year's pack conforms to the size of bale required by Basic Magnesium Incorporated.

PREMIER ATTENDS COUNCIL MEETING

Returning to his office yesterday after a tour of the Northern Interior of the province, Premier John Hart presided at a meeting of the executive council.

The Premier traveled north over the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, then went to Prince Rupert over Canadian National lines. He returned by boat to Campbell River and motored to Victoria.

Princeton Miners On Strike Again

PRINCETON, Oct. 6 (CP).—For the second time within six days Princeton coal miners have stopped work. This time, however, they declare their "holiday" will continue indefinitely. Failure of Humphrey Mitchell, Minister of Labor, to announce results of arbitration proceedings held in August is given as the reason. Mr. Mitchell received the decision on Saturday, according to advices here, and the union feels it should have been informed by now.

Chat Body Abounds
JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

THE BODY NEEDS PLENTY OF WATER DAILY

For years physicians have been advising their patients and the public to drink more water. They have been pointing out all the uses of water in the body and also the dangers to the tissues and processes if they are not kept moist at all times. Among the uses of water are (a) its carrying food in the blood to all the tissues and returning the wastes from the tissues, (b) giving the liquid necessary to the various juices of the body for digestion and other purposes, (c) keeps heart and blood vessels in good working order by giving them something to push onward. These are just three of water's many uses.

Since it has become known that water maintains and increases weight, many overweight people are properly cutting down on all their liquids, because every pound of fat tissue holds 3 1/2 pounds of water in it. By vigorous exercise, steam baths and other methods that cause perspiration, it is possible for fat individuals to lose five to fifteen pounds of weight (practically all water) within an hour or two. If they can resist the temptation to immediately afterwards drink large quantities of water or other liquids, this great loss of weight will not return in full but only in part, and a net loss in weight therefore results.

However, I have been speaking about very fat individuals. What about those of normal weight who are cutting down on liquids thinking that this will prevent them from increasing their weight? Those of normal weight are making a big mistake in not drinking plenty of water or other fluids every day. Water will not increase their weight because only fat tissue (an inactive tissue) that is lying in and on the body, absorbs water. Other tissues, such as nerves and muscles, will

not absorb water and hold it in their tissues; all the water they use is what they need to maintain their structure.

However, every tissue in the body needs water and lack of water together with lack of salt, can injure the body tissues and interfere with the body processes—circulation of the blood; digestion of food; removal of wastes from bowel, kidneys, skin, mouth and others.

The thought then is that unless

we are overweight, we should drink plenty of water or other fluids every day.

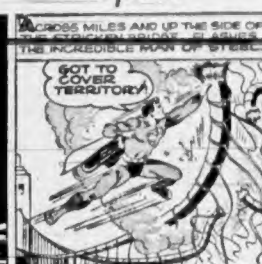
SENTENCED TO DEATH

ST. ANDREWS, N.B., Oct. 7, (CP).—Sgt. Tom Roland Hutchings was convicted early today on a charge of murdering Bernice Connors at Black's Harbor last June. Mr. Justice C. D. Richards sentenced the Royal Air Force sergeant to be hanged on December 16.

SUPERMAN



Speed!



By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster



MARY WORTH'S FAMILY

By Dale Allen



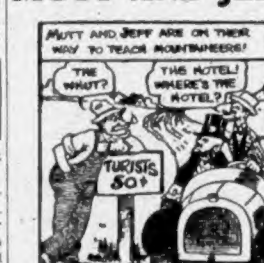
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MUTT AND JEFF

It Could Have Been Worse

By Bud Fisher



POP

A Knock Out

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Y.P.S. News

FIRST UNITED

The main feature of the programme at First United on Tuesday night was the showing of colored slides by Doug Bailey, president of the British Columbia Conference, Young People's Union. He showed pictures of his trip to Belleville, also pictures of the retreat at Gluz Lake in June. The meeting opened with a recreation period which was in charge of Nan Wilson and Betty Shyne. A singing followed, led by June Dunn, assisted by Perry Pepper. The business period was conducted by the president, Margaret Walker. Following the presentation of the slides, Harold Thayer led in worship. Preceding the meeting, those taking part met at the home of Miss Willows for supper, followed by discussion.

UNITED CHURCH Y.P.

The United Church Young People's convention will be held at Chilliwack over the Thanksgiving week-end, October 10 to 12. Registration starts at 8 o'clock Saturday evening in the Chilliwack United Church and all United Church young people are urged to attend.

WILKINSON ROAD UNITED Y.P.

There was a good attendance at the fortnightly meeting of the Young People's Society of Wilkinson Road United Church which was held on Monday evening, with Jack Ritz presiding. The secretarial and financial reports were submitted by Miss Annie Fagerberg. A programme was drawn up with devotional, social and educational topics. Arrangements were made for the study of Scriptural personalities and discussions pertaining to modern youth. There will be debates and quiz hours and projects will be devoted to church and wartime requirements. A social hour followed, when games were enjoyed and refreshments served by Gwen Garner, June Clarke and Jack Boorman of the social committee.

"My wife has been nursing a growth all the week."
"Been laid up, have you?"

ANGLICANS HOLD FALL CONFERENCE

Rev. O. L. Jull Presides Over Representative Gathering of Victoria Clergy and Laity

The Fall meeting of the rural-decennial conference of Greater Victoria was held last evening in St. Barnabas' Parish Hall, with Rev. O. L. Jull, rural dean, presiding, supported by a large and representative body of clergy and laity.

Cathedral, addressed the conference on the subject of greater activity on the part of the laity in support of the work of the church, instancing their use in calling upon newcomers, the sick, the afflicted, and others, to supplement the ministrations of the clergy.

A discussion followed, and general support was extended to the proposals advanced, the view being expressed that the "man in the street" was more interested in religion than was commonly supposed.

URGENT MORE ACTIVITY

A recommendation was made that the clergy call their laity together with the object of stimulating their assistance, and further, that the laity present at the conference pledge themselves to support their clergy in this effort.

Captain Gibson, North Saanich, spoke to the conference concerning the progress of the "Columbia" system of ordered finance in the matter of diocesan investments and appointments, which had already been tentatively approved by the executive committee of the diocese in order that the system might be brought before the next synod with a view to its adoption. He stressed that from the Christian standpoint it was not a matter of paying, but rather of giving.

PENSIONERS CRITICAL OF ACT'S OPERATION

Complaints against what were described as injustices in the workings of the Old Age Pension Act were voiced at a meeting of the Victoria Aged Pensioners' Association in the First Baptist Church yesterday afternoon. Members criticized the manner in which the act is administered.

Plans for a social afternoon on December 1, when entertainment will be typical of the Christmas season, were discussed.

Mrs. A. Gates, convener of laws for women and children, Local Council of Women, addressed the gathering.

General business was discussed and several members were enrolled. S. M. Arnold, president, presided.

SAANICH CONSERVATIVES

The Saanich Conservative Association will hold the annual general meeting on Friday evening at 8 o'clock at 738 Port Street.

CADET

The luncheon spy-hunt thriller over presented—Paramount's "The Lady Has Plans" will end tonight at the Cadet Theatre. Co-starring in this mile-a-minute merry chase are Ray Milland and Paulette Goddard, assisted by Roland Young, Albert Dekker, Margaret Hayes and Cecil Kellaway.

CAPITOL

William Powell deserts THEATRE comedy and finds a new screen wife, charming Hedy Lamarr, in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "Crossroads," now showing at the Capitol Theatre.

DOMINION

"Priorities on Parade" starring Ann Miller and Jerry Colonna is now showing at the Dominion Theatre. The picture is an entertaining musical with useful songs and clever dances. The background is a war work factory in which the musicians of a dance band find employment. In supporting roles are Betty Rhodes, Johnnie Johnston and Vera Vague.

OAK BAY

"New Moon," starring THEATRE Nelson Eddy and Jeanette MacDonald, will end tonight at the Oak Bay Theatre. Fans of the two singers will find their favorites in the types of roles for which they are so well adapted. Back again in the costumes and manners of the 1780s, they transport their audience to another world, a world of imagination, song,

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SON of Mrs. L. P. Macrae, 1718 Port Street, who graduated last week at the Victorville Army Flying School, California, as a pilot and has been commissioned as a second lieutenant in the United States Army Air Force Reserve. Victorville-born, Macrae was educated at Victoria High School and also attended U.C.L.A. and San Jose State College. A brother, Laurence, is in training with the R.C.A.F. in Eastern Canada.

Victoria Worker Wins Damages

VANCOUVER, Oct. 6 (CP)—James Gray, Victoria shipyard worker, whose action for damages for false imprisonment was pending in Supreme Court, has received settlement of \$827, it was disclosed here today.

Cited as defendants were Walter Owen Oakalla jail warden; Attorney-General R. L. Maitland, K.C.; Eric Pepler, K.C., deputy attorney-general; Carew Martin, K.C., Victoria and the deputy registrar of the Court of Appeal.

Gray claimed the damages for detention for a period of thirteen days at Oakalla, the time between a conviction against him and his release from Oakalla on April 30. He had been convicted by Magistrate H. C. Hall, of Victoria, of attempting to break and enter a shop.

A.R.P. Activities

District No. 1, Victoria West—The regular wardens' meeting will be held in the control room, Victoria West School, at 8 p.m., Thursday. Additional wardens are urgently required and anyone interested is invited to attend.

ATLAS

Paulette Goddard plays THEATRE Loni Clairborne, colorful spiffy, opposite Ray Milland, in Cecil B. DeMille's exciting Technicolor production, "Reap the Wild Wind," now showing at the Atlas Theatre. The romantic stars are seen in a story of pirate wreckers off the Florida coast in 1840, when America's maritime lifeline was in danger of being strangled.

CADET

The luncheon spy-hunt thriller over presented—Paramount's "The Lady Has Plans" will end tonight at the Cadet Theatre. Co-starring in this mile-a-minute merry chase are Ray Milland and Paulette Goddard, assisted by Roland Young, Albert Dekker, Margaret Hayes and Cecil Kellaway.

CAPITOL

William Powell deserts THEATRE comedy and finds a new screen wife, charming Hedy Lamarr, in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "Crossroads," now showing at the Capitol Theatre.

DOMINION

"Priorities on Parade" starring Ann Miller and Jerry Colonna is now showing at the Dominion Theatre. The picture is an entertaining musical with useful songs and clever dances. The background is a war work factory in which the musicians of a dance band find employment. In supporting roles are Betty Rhodes, Johnnie Johnston and Vera Vague.

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City & District

Warrant Ordered—James M. Enright failed to appear in the city police court yesterday in answer to a charge of vagrancy, and a warrant was ordered for his arrest.

Charge Dismissed—A charge against a sailor of driving in a manner dangerous to the public along Yates Street on October 1 was dismissed yesterday in the city police court. Evidence was given by Miss A. Brayshaw, C. J. McDowell and Constable George Buckle.

False Statement—Joseph Perrie, 31, pleaded guilty yesterday in the city police court to a charge of making a false statement as to his age in a report of an automobile accident at Douglas and Johnson Streets on September 13, and was fined \$10 by Magistrate Henry C. Hall.

Is Remanded—A sailor who pleaded not guilty to a charge of being intoxicated along Yates Street on Monday was remanded until his morning for trial in the city police court. An Indian woman who admitted being intoxicated on Figgard Street was fined \$10, or in default three days in jail.

Seeks Hearing—In a letter received at the City Hall yesterday from P. H. Gagner, of broadcasting station CJVI, the writer asked for an audience with the City Council next Tuesday afternoon to present a proposition whereby facilities of the station could be used profitably by the city.

Revision Court—The court of revision on the 1943 assessment roll will meet in the City Hall at 10 o'clock this morning to consider eighteen appeals, the lowest number since 1937. Members of the court are Mayor Andrew McGavin, Aldermen W. H. Davies, W. L. Morgan, A. Willis and J. A. Worthington.

Visit Depot—Major Andrew McGavin paid an official visit to the Salvage Corps of British Columbia Depot on Cloverdale Avenue yesterday afternoon, and paid tribute to the efforts of voluntary helpers in gathering vast quantities of war material. The Mayor was accompanied by Aldermen E. Williams, A. Willis, F. A. Willis and J. A. Worthington.

Dry Summer—Victoria enjoyed seventy-five days of rainless weather between July 17 and September 28, according to a report from the Dominion Meteorological Observatory at Gonzales, with the result that total rainfall to date for 1942 is only 8.13 inches, far below normal. The past summer was the driest recorded since 1915, an official said.

Sentence Held—Sentence was suspended yesterday in the city police court in the case of Leo Blanchard, charged with, unlawfully and wilfully destroying a bottle of gas in industry, contrary to the order in council, dated February 10, 1942. Magistrate Hall said he intended to suspend sentence because the accused had been fined \$50 on Monday for having liquor in a restaurant.

Tire Charge—The New Method Laundries, Ltd., represented by W. Percy Marchant, was charged yesterday in the city police court with purchasing on April 7 two new automobile tires and one tube not essential for operation of a vehicle by the company, said company having more than one spare tire in its possession. Carew Martin appeared for the prosecution, and the case was remanded to October 14.

Elevator Lease—At a meeting of the City Council lands committee yesterday afternoon, it was decided to renew the Gillespie Grain Co., Ltd., lease on the city's Ogden Point grain elevator for one year from October 1 for \$2 1-2 per cent of the net operating profits. The company agreed to pay the city a minimum of \$17,500 per year. Alderman T. W. Hawkins presided at the meeting.

Large Fine—William E. Chidgey, represented by Joseph McKenna, was found guilty yesterday in the city police court on a charge of driving in a manner dangerous to the public along Johnson Street on September 13. Magistrate Hall imposed a fine of \$35 and suspended the defendant's driver's licence for three months. Joseph G. Perrie, Jr., testified that Chidgey's car struck his machine at Douglas and Johnson Streets and caused damage estimated at \$50.

Dimming of Small Lights Essential During Blackout

Bicycle lamps and flashlights, as well as automobile headlights, must be properly shielded during a blackout, it was stated by Inspector A. H. Bishop, civilian protection officer, speaking before A.R.P. wardens.

A flashlight must be covered with at least one thickness of newspaper and must be shown only to the ground, he said, while a bicycle lamp must be covered except for a slit measuring one and one-half inches by one-quarter inch.

Police, fire and ambulance vehicles will have a larger aperture than that allowed on headlights of civilian automobiles, to permit greater speed with equal safety, and will be marked by smaller, distinctive colored lights. Military vehicles, he said, will show light through a half-moon-shaped aperture instead of a slit, he said.

He also reviewed a ruling prohibiting persons from using any siren, whistle or similar instrument in a blackout unless authorized to do so.

Officer Leaves for Petawawa Camp



MAJOR M. A. KENT

ARTILLERY wing commander at the Gordon Head Officers' Training Centre, who has left for Petawawa, where he will be general staff officer of artillery. Major Kent will be succeeded temporarily at Gordon Head by Capt. G. C. MacDonald, who recently returned from overseas where he served with the 1st Canadian Division. A well-known Victoria officer and veteran of the last war, Major Kent is a former O.C. of the 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, N.P.A.M.

Anglican Young People

ANNUAL CONVENTION

Three feature addresses are scheduled during the three-day thirteenth annual convention of the British Columbia Anglican Young People's Association, to be held here October 10, 11 and 12. The first is to be given by the Bishop of Columbia, Rt. Rev. H. E. Sexton, on Sunday afternoon, during the opening ceremonies at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay. Very Rev. Dean Spencer H. Elliott has consented to deliver Sunday's main address. The title of the Dean's talk is to be "The Purposeful God at Work in the World," and the time will be approximately 2:15 o'clock during afternoon sessions at St. Mary's. The concluding service is to be Professor E. S. Farr's address on the morning of the final day, October 12. Professor Farr, too, will speak at St. Mary's at 10 o'clock. Highlighting the social events, arranged for the visiting delegates are the banquet and dance to be held on Saturday in the Empress Hotel. The banquet will start at 6:15 o'clock, and the dance, with the air force orchestra in attendance, will follow at 9 o'clock. Tickets for both these events, as well as further details concerning the convention, may be obtained from the local conveners, Joyce Dixon, Ray Hadfield, Lenora Trickett and Norman Williams.

Entertains at Bridge

Mrs. W. L. Woodhouse, 3605 Cadboro Bay Road, entertained the wives of the members of the Gyro Club on Monday evening at their first-bridge party of the season. Part of the proceeds of this party will be sent at the close of the season to the Queen Alexandra Soratorium to aid in its fine work. Joint hostesses assisting Mrs. Woodhouse were Mrs. A. Gough, Mrs. H. Veitch, Mrs. O. Minnie, Mrs. L. Glazen, Mrs. D. McClelland and Mrs. G. Taylor. The reception room was prettily arranged with Fall flowers and the refreshment table was attractive with bronze dahlias in a low bowl lighted by ivory tapers. Mrs. Louis Glazen, wife of the Gyro president, presided. Other guests present were Mrs. M. Osborough, Mrs. V. Trueman, Mrs. M. Belmont, Mrs. B. Hall, Mrs. B. Walsh, Mrs. H. Mercer, Mrs. N. Grant, Mrs. B. Butler, Mrs. E. Hudson, Mrs. M. McLennan, Mrs. M. Morgan, Mrs. E. Scott, Mrs. L. Weiler, Mrs. F. Hunter, Mrs. E. Challenor, Mrs. A. Hawn, Mrs. M. Pollard and Mrs. E. Law.

Announcements

Hear Dr. Catherine Whiteside Taylor tonight, under auspices Victoria and District P.T. Council, South Park School at 8 p.m. Admission 25c.

Robinson Antiques—Change of address, Metropolitan Bldg., Courtyard Street, Rooms 3-6, above old location.

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AWARD MADE TO FORMER OFFICER

Major C. C. Wilson Receives Insignia of C.I.E. for Long Service in Indian Forests

The Insignia of Companion of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire was presented yesterday to Major Cecil Claude Wilson, V.D., by His Honor W. C. Woodward, Lieutenant-Governor, at a short ceremony in Government House.

The award was made to Major Wilson in the New Year's Honors of 1941, but not until yesterday was it possible for the insignia to be presented by a representative of the King. He was awarded the honor for his thirty-two years' association with the Department of Forests under the Government of Madras, India. He retired as chief conservator of forests in July, 1940.

Major Wilson left the service temporarily during the last war, when he served with the Bengal Lancers in Mesopotamia for three years. He now resides at Uppover Bulb Gardens, Gordon Head.

Following the presentation he was congratulated by Mrs. Woodward. Others attending the ceremony were Mrs. Wilson, Major and Mrs. H. C. Holmes, Col. H. W. Laws, C.M.G. and Mrs. Laws, Mr. Lawe and Mrs. D. B. Ryal, Capt. and Mrs. R. L. Challenor and Bernard Atkins.

SPECIAL OFFICES FOR ALIEN REGISTRATION

T. M. Little was re-elected president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce yesterday, while A. A. Baker was elected vice-president. Capt. Norman Foster continued as secretary-treasurer.

Mr. Baker, who has served only one year on the board of directors, gave considerable time toward the work of the chamber, according to an official, and was nominated because of the interest he had shown in the chamber's activities.

ROYAL OAK

The monthly meeting will be held on Thursday at 2:15 o'clock. It is hoped for a good attendance of members as an invitation has been received to visit the local first aid point. Members are asked to bring jam for the Solarium.

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"Yes, ever since he went home this Summer and saw the girl he was in love with twenty years ago."

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Trend Deflected By Profit-Taking On Wall Street

NEW YORK, Oct. 6 (AP)—Stocks, with the exception of a handful of utilities and other favorites, were moderately depressed by profit taking in today's market.

The consensus, however, was that the list gave a fairly good account of itself and that the "correction" of the lengthy upswing to the best levels since last December was really less than normal proportions.

The list got off to a hesitant start. Losses ranged to a point or so at the worst. These were reduced or canceled in many cases at the close. Some of the day's offerings while relatively light, were attributed to the chilling effect of the Treasury's plan to ask for \$6,000,000 more in taxes after the present revenue bill passes Congress. The war news again was a negative factor.

Power & Light Company issues turned lively at the last as talk of better than expected earnings, plus possible tax relief for some of these concerns, was heard. Electricity consumption has been holding at near-record figures in the past several months, due principally to armament manufacturing demand.

The Associated Press average of sixty stocks was off .1 of a point at 38.8. It was the first setback since last Wednesday.

Dealings slowed at intervals, but volume amounted to 700,000 shares compared with 785,880 yesterday.

Losers included American Can, U.S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, General Motors, Santa Fe, Southern Pacific, Douglas Aircraft, Dow Chemical, American Telephone, Western Union, Texas Co., Anacosta, Dupont and U.S. Gypsum.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Time Jones averages closed as follows:

Thirty industrials, 111.53, off .40.

Twenty rails, 28.55, off .25.

Fifteen utilities, 12.91, up .45.

Sales, 700,000 shares.

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Alcoa Chemicals 17 1/2

American Can 35 1/2

American Tobacco 42 1/2

American Steel 121 1/2

Armstrong 27 1/2

Aviation 35 1/2

B. & O. Railroad 31 1/2

Bell Telephone 47 1/2

Bethlehem 121 1/2

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Oct. 6 (AP)—Quotations in cents.

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PRINCE RUPERT TO ELECT AGAIN

PRINCE RUPERT, Oct. 6 (CP)—The Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce has gone on record as favoring the return of the city to the elected mayor and aldermanic form of civic government now that the city is on a sound financial basis following ten years of commissionership.

It is the intention to restore the form of government. The Chamber of Commerce had for some time been considering the possibility of a commission form of government, but has now relinquished it with the suggestion that the same end might be met by the election of a "competent, well-balanced council representative of all groups of citizenship."

NEW FIVE-CENT COIN SHIPPED

Twelve-Sided Piece of Copper and Zinc Is Put Into Circulation

OTTAWA, Oct. 6 (CP)—Canada's new "blackout nickel," a twelve-sided coin of copper and zinc, was being put into circulation in most larger Canadian centres today, Bank of Canada officials said.

First shipments of the new coin were made last Friday to fill outstanding requisitions for five-cent pieces. They went to Halifax, Vancouver and most other cities in which agencies of the Bank of Canada are located.

While some of these shipments will not yet have reached their destination the nickel was expected to be in circulation in many centres within a few days.

The coin won the unofficial name of "blackout nickel" because its twelve sides make it easily distinguishable, even in a pocketful of change, from one-cent pieces or quarters. The new design was ordered when war demands created a shortage of nickel.

Egg Market

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Product Inspection Service, Victoria, G 2482.

To producer:

Grade "A" large 43

Grade "A" medium 39

Grade "A" pullet 38

Grade "A" large 43

Grade "A" medium 39

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